"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER.
Clearing to-day; fair Sunday; wind fresh southwest to northwest.

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THOMAS CREW FIND ALASKA IMPASSABLE

Trail Too Narrow for Automobile and Melting Snow Would Not Hold It.

WILL GO TO VLADIVOSTOK

Foreign Crews Start for Seattle from San Francisco—Koeppen Back at Ogden for Repairs.

59TH DAY OF THE RACE.

Car.	Reported.	Distance.
*Thomas.	Valdez.....	6036
†Zust.	San Francisco...	4090
†De Dion.	San Francisco...	4090
‡Protos.	Kelton, Utah..	2616

*Alaskan trails found impassable. Car takes steamer for return to Seattle and new start for Vladivostok.
†Take steamer for Seattle.
‡Returned to Ogden for repairs.

From THE NEW YORK TIMES Staff Correspondent with the Racers.

VALDEZ, Alaska, April 9.—The American Thomas car has found it impossible to go through Alaska in the New York to Paris race. At 2 o'clock this morning, after the official reception and entertainment tendered to the crew of the racing car by the City of Valdez, the four men who had set out with the determination to make the trip in the automobile from Valdez to Nome over the mail trail started on a tour of inspection through Keystone Cañon.

On a sled drawn by a single horse driven by their guide, in the face of a heavy snowstorm, the automobilists drove out to Comfort Camp, the first roadhouse on the Fairbanks trail. They made tests of the width of the trail and the various conditions to be met, and decided with one voice it was utterly impossible to proceed in view of the conditions prevailing since the recent thaw, and that conditions would be no better until next Winter. In consequence the men returned to Valdez early this morning and, wishing to lose no time, loaded the racing car on the steamer Bertha, which was ready to leave for Seattle, and sailed back to the United States, intending to continue the journey to Paris by way of Vladivostok.

Arrival Was Too Late.

It is impossible for any man who has not seen the trail over which the mail is carried from Valdez to Fairbanks to realize the conditions that exist to-day. To consider making the trip across Alaska in the face of such conditions would be a dream of "a cgeechaco slyass," in the Chinook jargon, which means the Alaskan tenderfoot. Had the car arrived here a month ago it might have made the attempt with a slight chance of success, but the early thaw has ruined all opportunity for the present season. The frozen crust of the snow that was depended upon to support the machine, has been dissipated by the unprecedented early season, and the machine could not advance a mile on the surface of the huge drifts that are now daily melting in the sun.

While Valdez extended the heartiest welcome to the American crew and offered every assistance in its power to the men in their effort to go through, the residents painted the gloomiest pictures of the road ahead. The stage men and mail carriers told their experience in passing over the trail in the last fortnight in dismal tones that boded all sorts of ills. Even in face of these views, George Schuester, driver of the Thomas car, insisted on inspecting the trail before abandoning the idea.

It was this insistence that led to the midnight trip in Keystone Cañon. Before the sled had proceeded far he was quite convinced that to start out in the automobile meant to bury the machine in immense snowdrifts and lose all chance of carrying the American flag through to Paris as planned.

The double-ender which carried the autoists out to Camp Comfort was a typical carry-all, such as is used throughout this country. It went all the way to the log cabin roadhouse that marked the first stop on the trail, and crossed in doing so a wilderness of snow and ice that offered only a slight conception of what tribulations an automobile would invite by proceeding into the mountains beyond the camp.

Facts About Alaska Storms.

"Dan" Kennedy, the gulde, who is an experienced packer of this and other Alaskan trails, told of his experiences in similar conditions in previous years. He said the storm that was raging might be over in five minutes or might continue for days, developing into a great blizzard which would bury any man or beast that could not reach convenient shelter. This was typical, he said, of all Alaskan storms—they were uncertain of duration and severity. He had known men who were lost and frozen on the trail within a quarter of a mile of the town, and others that had survived and escaped death after awful sufferings. This storm, fortunately, dwindled away in an hour, but its marrow-bone chill remained, and until long after sunrise the four men unaccustomed to such severity of weather suffered keenly. Schuester, not daunted by the snow, made many measurements along the beaten trail, which was still traveled in safety by the sleds. He found it at the widest point to be just forty-five inches across, while the Thomas car tracks fifty-six inches at all times. In some places the trail was not wide enough for a single horse to traverse it without stepping dangerously near the edge, while it wallowed and dipped and performed other queer contortions that kept the sled bobbing like a small boat in a heavy, choppy sea.

Beside this trail was the soft snow, that might bear the weight of tons when frozen hard, but which now was as soft and yielding as any snow in the States. One step beyond the beaten path, and a man floundered to his waist and a horse to his belly, and had serious difficulty in regaining his lost foothold. The snow beneath varied from five to fifteen feet in depth, all melting steadily and full of holes and hollows. Each sled that goes over the trail goes double, with another trailing in tandem, to keep it from sliding off into the side wallows and sinking with

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BOY DIES OF RARE DISEASE.

Physicians Think He Had "Sleeping Sickness," Which Is Fatal in Africa.

According to the attending physician in the case, the "sleeping sickness," so rare in this country, though said to be common in Africa, where it has recently been exhaustively studied by Dr. Robert Koch, the famous German scientist, now in this city, claimed a victim on Long Island yesterday morning.

Howard Price, the young son of Charles R. Price, a merchant at Glen Cove, L. I., was taken ill a few days ago, and his symptoms puzzled the family. He had been at Southampton, L. I., several days, and was taken ill there. His condition grew so alarming that his father went there Thursday and brought him home.

The boy was restless early in the night, but toward morning became quiet and sank into what appeared to be a deep sleep. Efforts to arouse him later proved futile, and a messenger was sent for Dr. F. A. Wright, who hurried to the Price home, but did not reach there until just after the boy had died.

The symptoms which were rehearsed to him by the boy's father convinced Dr. Wright that this was a case, possibly, of the "sleeping sickness." Only one or two other cases of this have been recorded in this country, but it has been made familiar to medical men through the researches of Dr. Koch.

The illness is caused by a parasite called "trytanosome," which is disseminated by a fly, to which naturalists have given the name "Glosina polpalis." The one prominent case known in this country was reported from New Orleans, whither the fly had probably been brought from Africa in the hold of a ship.

The fly which disseminates the disease fastens itself upon crocodiles and hippopotami, and its kind swarms on the banks of the rivers and lakes in certain parts of Africa.

Thousands of whites and natives die yearly in Africa from their bites, and it was the havoc wrought among the German colonists in the "Dark Continent" which sent Dr. Koch there to study the disease and, if possible, find a remedy. He succeeded in obtaining an arsenical preparation as an antidote, which he calls "atoxyle," which has cured practically every case of the disease on which it has been tried in the earlier stages.

FLYING LOG KILLS TWO.

Birch Jumps Sawmill Slide and Hits W. H. Bishop and Miss Weston.

Special to The New York Times.

ENFIELD, Mass., April 10.—W. H. Bishop, one of the best known lumbermen in Massachusetts, and Miss Wilhelmina Weston, 19 years old, were instantly killed by a huge birch log which jumped the slide of a portable sawmill this afternoon. Bishop bought large timber acreage last Fall and recently began to convert it into lumber.

Bishop's wife, Miss Weston, and Miss Edith Leland came to Enfield from Greenwich this afternoon to inspect the lumber camp, intending to return with Mr. Bishop on the evening train.

The slide which carries the logs to the sawmill crosses the road at a considerable height and turns sharply at the highway. To obtain the best view the party stood in the road and watched the logs come down the slide at the speed of an express train.

A birch log fifteen feet long and fourteen inches wide was put into the slide. When it reached the turn it failed to follow the course of the incline, jumped the slide, struck Miss Weston squarely in the head, bounded over Mrs. Bishop, and crashed against Bishop. Miss Weston and Bishop died instantly.

Miss Weston was the daughter of D. D. Weston, proprietor of the Greenwich House. She had been a leader in society in both towns. Bishop was 40 years old.

MRS. N. J. HESS TRIES SUICIDE

Real Estate Dealer's Wife Shoots Herself in Her Home.

Mrs. Myra T. Hess, 25 years old, wife of Nathaniel J. Hess, a member of the real estate firm of N. & L. Hess, attempted suicide last night while her husband was at dinner in their apartment at 425 West End Avenue. She is now in Roosevelt Hospital in a serious condition. The physicians say there is little hope of her recovery.

Mrs. Hess had been suffering from nervousness for several days. On Tuesday she went to bed, but her condition was not apparently serious enough to require a physician. Yesterday several women friends called to see her and were entertained in Mrs. Hess's bedroom.

Mr. Hess returned from his office early, and says he talked with his wife until dinner was ready. He says she gave him no hint that she intended to end her life. When Mr. Hess was at dinner he heard a shot from the bedroom of Mrs. Hess. He ran toward his wife's room.

Dr. I. J. Scott, who was called in, found that the bullet had entered Mrs. Hess's right temple, and had passed through the brain and emerged from the top of the skull. An operation was performed, but with scant hope of success.

LAWYER SUES MAGISTRATE.

Demands $10,000 from Droege for Putting Him Off Police Court Bridge.

The summons and complaint in an action brought in the Supreme Court by Abraham A. Berman, a lawyer at 116 Nassau Street, against Police Magistrate Droege was filed yesterday with the County Clerk. The lawyer seeks to recover $10,000 damages for an alleged assault, which was constituted by the Magistrate having him forcibly removed from the bridge in the Jefferson Market Court.

Berman says that on March 27 he appeared before Magistrate Droege as counsel for a gown company in East Nineteenth Street and for Tansy Rosenheim, a bookkeeper for the concern, complainant in an action.

"When I attempted to examine witnesses," said Berman last night, "I was told that I could not appear, as I was only allowed on the bridge through courtesy. The Magistrate informed me that only a District Attorney could appear for a complainant. I protested, and when he ordered me to step down from the bridge I refused. Then he called three policemen, and I was pushed down from the bridge."

Central R. R. of N. J. and Balto. & Ohio Royal Blue Line Route will on April 13th inaugurate through Parlor Car service between New York and Richmond, Va., leaving 23d St. 9:50 A. M. and Liberty St. 10 A. M. daily except Sunday. Apply at Ticket Offices, 454 and 1,300 Broadway, and 23d Street Station.—Adv.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN INTIMIDATE CHINA

Aiming to Make Manchuria Their Dependency Is the Opinion in Mukden.

SEEM TO ACT IN CONCERT

Russia Is Preparing to Answer the United States—Boycott Against the Japanese Grows.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MUKDEN, April 10.—Unless the other great powers awaken to the facts and aid China in her resistance to the aggressions of Russia and Japan in Manchuria, that rich province will soon be reduced to a mere dependency of the two nations which fought their great war in it. Despite the assurances given by the Governments at Tokio and St. Petersburg, the autonomy of China is being directly undermined in various ways.

There are many indications of a tacit agreement between Japan and Russia to support each other's demands on the Peking Government, so that Russia shall become intrenched in the north and Japan in the south. Russia's contention that her powers of administration under her railway grants include the civil government of the City of Harbin has been put forward as a crucial test, apparently for both Governments. If it should be recognized, then Japan would insist on the same status for her railway administration.

Discrimination Against Rivals.

The "open door" in China, to which all the powers are pledged, is technically observed by both Russia and Japan, but indirect discrimination against the traders of other nations is charged. Japan's opposition to the building of a railroad to Fakumen, which would parallel her Manchurian railway on the west, has small basis so far as her diplomatic rights are concerned, but indicates clearly her intention to monopolize railway development in this territory, and thus to eliminate trade competition.

Japan also refuses to abandon her control of the posts and telegraphs and other local administrative functions, and thus retains her grip on all the municipalities.

The Chinese are opposed to all these measures of assimilation, but they are intimidated in the presence of the huge military forces of Russia and Japan. The situation demands international action if the integrity of China is to be maintained.

THOMAS F. MILLARD.

Much Interest in St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 10.—It is the purpose of the Russian Government shortly to issue a statement in the matter of the question of territorial administration that has arisen at Harbin and Chailar. This entire question was brought to the front about three weeks ago by the refusal of F. D. Fisher, the American Consul at Harbin, to recognize Russian jurisdiction, and his insistence that he was accredited solely to China.

The incident continues to engross the attention of the St. Petersburg press. The Novoe Vremya to-day publishes a dispatch from Harbin saying that the antagonism between Russia and China is growing steadily. China opposes all Russian administrative establishments in Manchuria on the ground that the railroad concession carries with it only the rights of a common carrier and does not imply Governmental functions.

The Novoe Vremya sharply criticises the Foreign Office for suppressing Secretary Root's statement of April 7, as well as the details of the interview of April 3, between Secretary Root and Baron Rosen, neither of which has been communicated to the newspapers here. The paper says that the attitude of China is due to a belief in the weakness of Russia, but it can find no explanation for the American opposition to measures taken in compliance with existing treaties and designed for the best interests of civilization and commerce, and it hopes that Secretary Root after an investigation will administer the necessary reprimand to Consul Fisher.

The Slovo announces also that Russia and Japan, since this incident has come to the front, have exchanged reciprocal assurances to each support the other's railroad pretentions in North and South Manchuria.

Anti-Japanese Boycott Grows.

HONGKONG, April 10.—The Chinese money changers of Hongkong are supporting the existing boycott against the Japanese, which has come into existence as a result of the Tatsu Maru incident, by refusing to accept Japanese banknotes even at a discount. The Druggists' Guild also has joined in the movement, and members are making deposits of money as security of their good faith. The deposits of members who do not hold to the boycott are to be forfeited to the Self-Government Society.

PEKING, April 10.—The continued attempts at incendiarism at Peking, many of which have been successful, have aroused the Government to action, and the throne has ordered an investigation. Such a state of affairs never has been known in Peking before. It is estimated that property to the value of 5,000,000 taels has been willfully burned during the past three weeks.

The firebugs are believed to be Revolutionists. The apprehension of the Government is reflected in the repressive measure adopted by the police and military. An official gazette issued to-day contains the names of a large number of Revolutionists, and no less than fifty-seven Japanese whom the authorities are ordered to arrest on sight.

MISS ELKINS GOING TO ROME.

That's the Report at Her Home—Father Says, "Stop Rumors."

Special to The New York Times.

ELKINS, West Va., April 10.—Senator Elkins has leased a villa in Rome and expects to go there early in the Summer.

It was said at Hallehurst to-day that Miss Elkins will probably accompany her father to Rome.

Senator Elkins is interested in the political fight in West Virginia, but has no intention of seeing it through. He is now at Baltimore and will be joined there by Miss Elkins next Monday, when they will go to New York and sail for Rome.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Senator Stephen B. Elkins, in view of the reports from Rome that the rumored engagement of Miss Katherine Elkins to the Duke of the Abruzzi had been confirmed there, and, in fact, had progressed so far that the royal family have placed orders for the wedding gifts, to-night sent out a statement deprecatory of current reports as follows:

"If you can consistently, will you kindly cease the publication of dispatches and rumors of the reported engagement of my daughter. The matter has occupied the attention of the press so long and to such an extent that I feel called upon to make this request.

"While making it, I wish to state that I appreciate the kindly expressions that have appeared concerning my daughter in connection with her reported engagement. Whenever there shall be any reason to make an announcement about this matter I will be glad to give it to the press in an authentic form."

CARS CRASH IN BRIDGE PLAZA.

Both Knocked from Rails in Williamsburg—Passengers Hurt.

More than eighty passengers in two cars of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Railroad Company were shaken up and several hurt during the rush hour last evening on the Brooklyn plaza of the Williamsburg Bridge by a collision between a Hamburg Avenue car, in charge of Motorman Patrick Moran, and a bridge local. A large hole was torn in the local's side, and both cars were thrown from the rails. For more than a half hour stalled cars were blocked clear across the bridge to the Manhattan side.

An ambulance was summoned from the Williamsburg Hospital, but Dr. Barnes was called to attend only Abraham Primer of 220 Palmetto Street, who had sustained a dislocation of the left shoulder, besides lacerations and contusions. Others not so badly hurt were taken home by inspectors of the company.

While the blockade lasted thousands of people crawled out of the stalled cars on the bridge and by reaching the south roadway, crossed on foot to Williamsburg. Both cars were so badly damaged that they were hauled away.

NEW POSTOFFICE ARCHITECTS

McKim, Mead & White's Plans Are Selected by the Government.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The selection of architects for the New York new Post Office Building was to-day made public by the Secretary of the Treasury. Under the provisions of the so-called Tarsney act, the following architects were invited to submit competitive plans.

Carrère & Hastings, Heins & La Farge, McKim, Mead & White, George B. Post & Sons, H. Van Buren Magonigle, Whitfield & King, Kenneth M. Murchison, and Cass Gilbert.

The board unanimously selected the plans submitted by McKim, Mead & White, and this award was to-day approved by the Secretary of the Treasury after a conference with the Postmaster General.

The site on Eighth Avenue was purchased from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for $1,660,540.14. Congress has appropriated $100,000 for the preparation of plans, and work will be begun as soon as further appropriations are made available.

Mr. Mead of McKim, Mead & White said last night that his firm had not yet been officially notified of the award, although the members understood that their plans had been accepted. Mr. Mead was not willing to make the plans of his firm public without official notification.

ADVERTISES FOR RICH WIFE.

James W. Ross of Toronto Is Open to Leap Year Proposals.

Special to The New York Times.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 10.—If there is any wealthy, refined woman in any part of the United States or Canada who desires to marry an agreeable gentleman, James W. Ross of Toronto, Ont., Canada, is willing to receive leap year proposals, if a letter which the Mayor received today is genuine. Ross asked the Mayor to assist him in his search for a wealthy wife by giving the facts to the newspapers in order that some eligible woman might apply. In the letter intended for the press Ross makes the following declaration:

"Ladies—I shall esteem it a great favor to receve genuine leap year proposals for marriage from bona fide wealthy women only. Applications to be addressed to 'Suitor,' care of his Worship the Mayor of Hartford, and marked 'Leap Year Proposals.'"

As references Ross names "any prominent resident of Toronto."

Admiral Evans Improves.

PASO ROBLES, Cal., April 10.—"Rear Admiral Evans had an excellent night's rest, and is doing very well," was the bulletin given out to-day by Surgeon McDonald and Dr. Phillips. Now that the Admiral's wife and daughter are here to care for him, it is believed his recovery will be hastened.

MME. GOULD SAILS FOR NAPLES TO-DAY

Suddenly Leaves the St. Regis with Prince de Sagan and Her Children.

SLIPS THROUGH KITCHEN

Goes on Board the Kaiser Freiderich der Grosse as "Mrs. Chapman"—Prince to Follow.

Mme. Anna Gould, formerly Countess de Castellane, for whose hand Helie de Talleyrand-Perigord, Prince de Sagan, has been conducting a picturesque and vigorous campaign, will sail this morning on the Kaiser Freidrich der Grosse for Naples, under the name of Chapman. The Prince will follow her within a few days.

Mme. Gould left the Hotel St. Regis at 10 o'clock last night and reached the ship a little after 11.

She was accompanied from the hotel by the Prince, who bubbled with good spirits; Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Morse, her children, Boniface, Georges, and Jay de Castellane; their tutor, the abbé; two maids, and fifty pieces of luggage. The nocturnal departure was accompanied with mystery and secrecy that smacked of France under the intriguing de Medicis.

Mme. Gould's departure was planned quickly, and every effort was made to escape detection. The entire party made use of the kitchen exit of the St. Regis. Whether this was to prevent the brothers and sister of Mme. Gould from getting wind of her plan is not known. It is certain that none of the family was apprised officially of Mme. Gould's plan to hasten to Paris, and there were no farewells spoken between the former Countess and her relatives.

This chapter in the romance of Mme. Gould and her indefatigable suitor began with a drive in Fifth Avenue in the Morse automobile, which is decorated with an effulgent "M." They returned to the St. Regis for luncheon. It is said that Mme. Gould's brothers, Edwin, Howard, and Frank, who have been entertaining her, even since her departure from her sister's house, resented Mme. Gould's recent movements.

Moved by pity for her recent illness they overlooked her defiance of public opinion in moving to the St. Regis to facilitate the Prince's courtship. However, on Thursday Mme. Gould and the Prince dined in the restaurant of the hotel in public, and earlier in the day Mme. Gould gave a luncheon in his honor.

They Dined in Public.

The dinner party for ten was conspicuously public. All these developments irritated her relatives, who had tried to smooth over former ill-feeling.

According to a well-authenticated report, they sent messages to her yesterday which expressed disgust for her keeping her affairs so prominently before the public. It is said that one message contained the command, "Leave this country."

Whatever took place between Mme. Gould's return from the drive and 3 o'clock, a sudden activity developed. Tyler and Isidor Morse appeared in the hotel corridors and called for messenger boys. Isidor Morse, as major domo of the latest of Mme. Gould's movements, jumped into a taxicab and went downtown to engage passage for Mme. Gould.

It is said that a premium was offered for sufficient staterooms for Mme. Gould. So great was the hurry and bustle that the brothers Morse did not dress for dinner. Mme. Gould herself superintended the packing of her trunks. The Prince de Sagan did not leave the hotel all day, and made suggestions here and there about the hasty preparations.

The party scarcely took time for dinner. Then the hotel porters in silent procession went to Mme. Gould's apartments and began covering the trunks with their white canvas slips. This was done to hide the de Castellane escutcheon, as Mme. Gould on her France-to-America trip took her mother's maiden name, Miller.

At 9 o'clock, after about all the diners in the hotel had left, Tyler Morse stepped from an elevator and made a reconnoissance. The coast appeared to be clear. A brown-clad footman stood ready to receive the signal. Then Mr. Morse vanished and a request was sent to the office to reserve the use of the servant's elevator for Mme. Gould.

A Secret Departure.

The elevator was dispatched to the twelfth floor, and then Isidor Morse appeared in the corridor of the hotel. He wore a rubber storm coat with the collar upturned and walked to the street to see that there were no prying eyes. Reassured he hurried back to the twelfth floor. When the elevator driver in the servants' car saw the large crowd waiting on the twelfth floor he said it was impossible to carry so many passengers at one time. Accordingly, Mme. Gould's two maids and the French maid were transported to the regions below. Then when the car returned the three children, chattering in French, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Morse, Mme. Gould, and lastly the beaming Prince entered it. In a few seconds the party found itself in the tile-lined recesses of the servants' hall. Mme. Gould was bewildered.

"Which way do we go?" she asked.

"Ask Isidor?" suggested Mrs. Morse, but Isidor was on the curb, helping to avoid detection. Finally the party groped about and, guided by hotel employes, Mr. Morse was able to find a door. Then they tripped into the street from the underground entrance.

Mrs. Morse and Mme. Gould wore black gowns and hats, with heavy veils. Mme. Gould also wore a fur cloak. The Prince, Mme. Gould, and the Morses entered the Morse machine, and a taxicab was engaged to convey the three boys and their tutor. The maids followed in a third car. Isidor Morse allotted the members of the party to their places, and when all were lined up for the start he whispered to each of the three chauffeurs.

Then the cars shot down Fifth Avenue. Isidor Morse returned to the hotel after he was assured that the greatest secrecy had been preserved. The luggage followed immediately.

One report, circulated about midnight, was that the Prince and Mme. Gould had been married in Hoboken and had gone aboard the Kaiser Friedrich afterward on a honeymoon trip to Naples. No pastor or Justice of the Peace in Hoboken could be found who would admit having married the pair.

Mecklenburg Lithia Water is the most remarkable natural solvent of uric acid known. Relieves permanently. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

ANOTHER TUBE THROUGH.

The Pennsylvania Bores Bergen Hill at Hoboken.

Samuel Rea, Third Vice President of the Pennsylvania Railroad, announced last night that at 6 o'clock this morning the south tunnel of the two tubes which the Pennsylvania Railroad is building under Bergen Hill, at Hoboken, will be holed through. This will give the road a continuous tunnel from the western end of the Bergen Hill tunnel to East Avenue, Long Island City, a distance of 5.3 miles.

It is expected that the north tunnel under Bergen Hill will be holed through some time in May, when tunnels of an aggregate length of 16.5 miles will have been excavated.

The excavation for the Bergen Hill tunnels has taken almost three years, and about 260,000 cubic yards of rock has been taken out, which has required the use of about 680,000 pounds of dynamite.

EARTHQUAKES IN MEXICO.

Heavy Shocks Felt Near Monterey and People Flee from Homes.

MONTERREY, Mexico, April 10.—Telegraphic dispatches from Mier and Noriega say that several distinct earthquakes were felt Wednesday and again yesterday.

Owing to the severe nature of the shocks great alarm was felt. Many persons fled to other towns.

STORM DELAYS LORRAINE.

French Liner Met a Southwest Storm and Will Be a Few Hours Late.

A wireless message received by THE TIMES yesterday from the French liner Lorraine, due in port here this morning, says that the vessel has encountered a bad storm from the southwest, which has raised heavy seas, causing some delay in the speed of the ship.

Although she is due this morning, it is not expected that the Lorraine can reach this port earlier than this afternoon.

CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN WEAK

Grave Anxiety Over the Condition of Britain's ex-Premier.

LONDON, April 10.—The condition of ex-Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman has undergone a serious change in the last twenty-four hours and is now the cause of gravest anxiety.

Sir Thomas Barlow, physician to King Edward's household, and Dr. Bertrand Dowson physician extraordinary to the King, were called into consulation with Sir Henry's regular physicians this afternoon. The gravity of the ex-Premier's condition was further evidenced by the issuing of a bulletin this evening. It says:

"Sir Henry had a quiet day, but there is no improvement in his symptoms. Although he has dad comparatively little suffering, he is very weak."

BOARDMAN TO SUE HANNA.

Proposed Action Thought to Relate to Note Given by O'Brien to Morse.

Albert B. Boardman, of the law firm of O'Brien, Boardman & Platt, is about to bring an action against Charles A. Hanna, receiver of the National Bank of North America.

The nature of the intended action has not been made public. Mr. Boardman refused to make any statement about it last night. It is believed, however, to relate to ex-Justice Morgan J. O'Brien's note which brought about the indictment of Charles W. Morse by District Attorney Jerome early in February.

GAS TRUST WANTS ITS MONEY.

Applies to Court for $4,823,000 Tied Up Under 80-Cent Law Litigation.

The Consolidated Gas Company, through its counsel, John A. Carver, asked Judge Hough, in the United States Circuit Court yesterday afternoon, for an order directing Commissioner Shields, as Clerk of the Court, to return to the company the $4,823,000, which is part of the $7,000,000 paid into court by the gas companies of the city since the passage of the 80-cent gas law in 1906.

The application for the return of the money is based upon Judge Hough's recent decision that the 80-cent gas law is unconstitutional. The motion was made before Judge Lacombe first, but that Judge declined to hear it. Then all parties were sent to Judge Hough. That Judge set the argument for next Tuesday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

HORSE IN SUBWAY EXIT.

Runaway Was Half Way Down Steps When Police Caught Him.

Dr. W. A. Cimillo of 2,437 Arthur Avenue, the Bronx, left his horse standing at 173d Street and Washington Avenue yesterday afternoon while he called on a patient, and it ran away. As the horse raced down past the Morrisania Police Station Lieut. Ryan and Detective Phelan boarded a trolley car and ordered the motorman to put on full speed in pursuit.

At 149th Street the horse ran into an elevated railroad pillar and smashed the wagon. The policemen thought they had him, and leaped from the car.

But the horse dashed on, headed for the Subway exit, from which crowds were coming.

The horse did not stop for anybody, and started down the Subway steps. The police caught him, however, before he had got more than half way down the stairs and led him out to the street, where Dr. Cimillo finally found him and had him taken home, subdued if not wiser.

DENOUNCES PAPER TRUST.

Representative Perkins Also Takes Issue with Cannon's Plan Against It.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Representative James B. Perkins denounced the Paper Trust to-day in a long speech before the House. He recounted its organization and rise and the corresponding rise in the price of print paper. He said that the so-called "economies" that the trust had promised to effect at the time of its organization consisted chiefly in such measures as doubling the salaries of officers, so that now even with modern mechanical improvements it would be really impossible for the trust to produce paper as cheaply as formerly.

Mr. Perkins took direct issue with the remedy for this state of affairs suggested by Speaker Cannon. The Speaker, in his anxiety to avoid touching the tariff, he said, is trying by criminal process to accomplish what others were trying to do through lower duties.

CONVENTION WON'T GO BACK ON HUGHES

Governor to be Indorsed for the Presidency Despite All Opposition.

THE SLATE ALL MADE UP

Gen. Woodford, Seth Low, E. H. Butler, and F. P. Hazard to be Delegates at Large.

The Republican State Convention will meet this morning at 11 o'clock at Carnegie Hall. In the course of its deliberations it will elect Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, Seth Low, E. H. Butler, and F. P. Hazard delegates at large from the State to the National Convention at Chicago; will indorse Gov. Hughes's candidacy for the Presidency, choose Presidential electors, and elect a new State Committee.

The only change in the State Committee will be the elimination of the name of William Halpin from the roll and the substitution therefor, in all probability, of the name of Charles B. Page.

There will be a fight on one of the issues mentioned at least. The indorsement of Gov. Hughes will not be unanimous, but it will go through nevertheless, for the reason that those in control of the State organization do not think it would be wise at this time to oppose openly the Governor's candidacy.

Opposed to instructions will be the delegation headed by William L. Ward of Westchester, that controlled by William Barnes, Jr., of Albany, and the Dady faction of the Brooklyn machine. These three delegations will make a fight for an uninstructed delegation at large, unless something happens early to-day to cause them to change their minds, which is improbable.

All day yesterday and last night there were wild reports of the convention bolting Hughes and passing resolutions favoring the candidacy of Taft. These rumors were largely groundless. The cause of such of them as were worthy of notice was removed late yesterday afternoon, and, after the State Committee met last night at State Headquarters, 12 East Thirtieth Street, the rumors were entirely dissipated by the statement of Chairman Timothy L. Woodruff of the State Committee, who said:

"The platform resolutions will indorse Gov. Hughes in practically the same language used in indorsing the candidacy of Gov. Levi P. Morton in 1896. The language is to the effect that the delegates at large shall 'present the name of Gov. Hughes to the National Convention and use all honorable means to secure his nomination.'"

Trouble in Hughes Ranks.

Back of the afternoon crop of rumors, however, was an interesting story of the discontent in the ranks of the Hughes boomers who constitute the Hughes League. It appears that some of them have been much disgruntled over the fact that they were not chosen delegates at large.

Among this number was Edward F. Cragen of Brooklyn, one of the many "originators" of the league. Mr. Cragen and some of his friends were so incensed when they saw that the slate did not bear any of their names that they called on Chairman Woodruff and told him that unless some changes were made in the slate they would attack it on the floor of the convention.

Mr. Woodruff evidently regarded this threat as a bluff, for he informed his callers that the slate would go through as it had been prepared, and that if it was attacked as they suggested it might be, the chances were much in favor of it being ripped to pieces, and a list of delegates almost entirely anti-Hughes in its complexion put up in its stead. He told them, too, that if there was any display of bad feeling in all likelihood some one would spring Taft resolutions and they might be passed.

Something in Mr. Woodruff's utterances evidently caused the disgruntled Hughes boomers to realize that they were making a mistake. Later in the afternoon a meeting of the Hughes League directors was called, and resolutions were put through to the effect that there should be no interference of any sort with the slate as it then stood. As Ward of Westchester last night denied that he had severely criticised the slate, and intimated that he would not attack it today, there is no question but that the four men mentioned will be chosen.

In the absence of William Barnes, Jr., of Albany, who is detained at home with a cold, Ward will assume control of the anti-Hughes faction. His delegation will caucus at 10 o'clock this morning in the Manhattan Hotel. Plans in detail will be arranged at that time. Ward professed last night not to know what action the caucus would take. He said:

"If we decide that the delegates at large should go to the National Convention uninstructed then we will make a fight on that point."

Looks Like a Fight.

This was taken as indicating clearly that such a fight would be made, though, in view of Mr. Ward's close affiliation with Chairman Woodruff, the attitude of the former is not as clear as it might be, considering the statement of the latter.

There seems to be a question of judgment between the two as to whether it is wise at this time to come out openly against the Governor.

Congressman Herbert Parsons, Chairman of the County Committee, is said to be with Woodruff. He insists that the prearranged programme shall be carried out, and that he shall have every opportunity to make good the promises made regarding the support of Hughes. When the district delegates—composed largely of Federal office holders and not in any way restricted by what the State Convention may do—get to Chicago, Mr. Parsons is expected to sing an entirely different song. So will Mr. Woodruff.

The programme for the convention is as follows: It will be called to order by State Chairman Woodruff at 11 o'clock. The roll will be called, and then M. Linn Bruce will be elected Temporary Chairman. He will make a speech at some length. Then credentials will be received, and the various committees will be appointed. Senator Horace White will probably be made Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, and J. Sloat Fassett Chairman of the Committee on Contested Seats. Following the election of the committees a recess will be taken until 3 o'clock.

At the afternoon session the first order of business will be the receipt of reports of committees. Then will come the election of James S. Sherman as Permanent Chairman and his speech. The adoption of the platform resolution will then be taken up and disposed of, following which the four delegates at large will be elected. The election of the two electors at large and the thirty-seven district electors will follow, and finally the new State Committee will be elected. After the adjournment of the convention the new State Committee will meet on the platform and elect a Chairman. Mr. Woodruff is expected to succeed himself.

The platform resolution which will contain the indorsement of Gov. Hughes and the instructions to the delegates has been prepared chiefly by J. Sloat Fassett. Mr. Fassett got back from Washington last

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evening at 9 o'clock. It is fair to assume therefore that the indorsement of the Governor's candidacy as set forth in the resolution is acceptable to the White House.

What the Platform Will Tell.

Mr. Fassett let it be known last night that it would not deal with local or State issues in any way; would indorse the National Administration and the administration of Gov. Hughes generally, and instruct the delegates-at-large to use all honorable means to secure the nomination of Hughes, in exactly the same language that has been used in all cases where New York had a favorite son for the Presidential nomination. It will be on the adoption of this resolution that the opposition of Mr. Ward will make itself manifest.

Notwithstanding a statement from Mr. Woodruff to the effect that no State issue would be mentioned in the resolution, there was a persistent rport about State Headquarters last night to the effct that an effort would be made to introduce a plank dealing with the Governor's race track gambling measures. It was said that State Senator Alfred R. Page would make an effort to get such a measure incorporated in the resolution, but he flatly denied that he contemplated doing anything of the kind. Such members of the State Committee as were asked about the report denied knowledge of any such plan.

The State Committee held its last meeting as at present constituted about 9 o'clock last night. Virtually all of the members were present, except Mr. Barnes. Little business of importance was conducted beyond arranging the final plans for the convention. The first matter taken up was the contest in Niagara County, where the Porter-Stevens faction is said to have defeated the Wadsworth-Merritt faction at the primaries.

After very brief consideration the committee decided to place the names of the Wadsworth-Merritt delegates on the temporary roll of the convention. The Porter-Stevens faction gave notice of a contest, and the matter will be fought out to-day before the Committee on Contested Seats.

William Halpin protested against the allotment of delegates to his district, the Seventh Assembly. He asserted that he was entitled to six delegates, while only five had been allowed. His figures on the vote in the district differed from those the State Committee had.

Ex-Gov. Odell and Henry O'Brien spoke briefly, saying that if Mr. Halpin's figures were correct he should have one more delegate, and Mr. Parsons said the figures in the possession of the State Committee were correct. By a viva voce vote the committee accepted the State Committee's figures. Halpin will bring the matter up again to-day in an effort to save his place on the State Committee.

Four Secretaries Chosen.

As Secretaries at the convention the committee elected Luther B. Little, Ray B. Smith, Thomas W. Whittle, and Lafayette Gleason.

Mr. Ward took occasion last night to deny that he had said that the convention would put through resolutions favorable to Secretary Taft's candidacy.

"What I said was that Taft would be nominated on the first ballot at Chicago, and I think he will," he said.

Mr. Ward's change of attitude caused Charles H. Young, President of the Republican Club, who lives in Westchester, to issue a statement last night, in which he declared that while he had never been a very active candidate for Delegate at Large from this State, he had ceased to be a candidate at all.

The Republican Club kept open house last night and tendered its facilities to all the delegates to the Republican State Convention as they arrived. Club members and delegates dropped in during the evening, and at times the lobby was crowded with various political lights, and members of the Hughes League took what chance the occasion offered to advance their propaganda.

The two Wadsworths, James W. and James W., Jr., were early evening visitors, and Senator Emerson was another.

WILLIAM BARNES, JR., ILL.

Republican Leader Has Grip and Will Not Attend State Committee Meeting.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 10.—State Committeeman William Barnes, Jr., will not be able, owing to an attack of the grip which will keep him indoors for a week, to attend the Republican State Convention at New York to-morrow to which he was elected as a delegate at the recent primaries.

Mr. Barnes, when elected last night as a delegate to the National Convention, announced that he would not support the candidacy of Gov. Hughes for the Presidential nomination.

GOV. HUGHES AT WATERTOWN.

Says He Is Opposed to Gambling as Violating the Constitution.

Special to The New York Times.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., April 10.—Gov. Hughes was to-night the guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Watertown Chamber of Commerce, where he made a speech. A short parade was held about the streets of the town when he arrived.

To-night is the second time Gov. Hughes has honored Watertown. The first time was a year ago, when he passed through on his way to the Pine Plains encampment, where he witnessed the manoeuvres of the State militia.

A carload of Watertown's representative men went to Utica, where they met the Governor. A reception was held to-night.

Gov. Hughes said in part:

"I am opposed to race-track gambling because it demoralizes, and promotes vice, and constitutes a source of unnecessary temptation. Why, you go through the offices in the City of New York, and you will find what race-track gambling has done. I am opposed to it because it does not come from the gentlemen of wealth, who can spend their money without loss, but clerks, fathers of families dependent on them, are the ones who participate in this.

"They become not only waifs of fortune but a very ready material out of which the criminals of the State are made. But there is a far more fundamental question before us. The question is one that goes to the very root of the Government. This question is whether this is a State of law, and whether the Constitution is to be respected or not."

"I believe in a free country and in a free party. I believe in an honest administration of government and in an honest administration of party affairs. It is amazing to hear some men talk of loyalty to party when the only thing they are loyal to is themselves. I am anxious that means be provided by the Legislature so that candidates for office can be nominated directly by the people.

"I believe in party organization, but not in the dictation of petty satraps. What a sorry time it is when a man can bully a Senator of this State into voting against his conscience. Let it be made possible that no man who has taken the oath of office must feel that he is the servitor of some man and that he must do some man's bidding out of a pure sense of gratitude. That is un-American, and is the vice of American life.

"I want leadership that does not have to buy votes, and that does not have to cater to petty patronage. I want leadership that will sacrifice, and not that seeks for gain or private power, and that is the reason that I want to see a bill passed permitting direct nominations.

"There is only one right way in which the Government can give the people what they deserve, and now that we are under that form of government we so highly prize, there is only one way that it can be done, and that is to send men to Congress who will represent the people and not any special interest. In that we recognize the American idea."

Editors Indorse Hughes.

Against the wishes of one or two of the members present, it is said, the New York State Republican Editors' Association, meeting yesterday morning at the Republican Club, passed a resolution indorsing the anti-gambling attitude of Gov. Hughes. Great secrecy as to this action was observed by all, and there was last night a general disinclination to give out anything about the Hughes matter.

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HUGHES WILL FORCE RACING BILL FIGHT

Issues Call for Special Election, but Opponents Hint at Injunction to Prevent It.

APPORTIONMENT IS INVALID

Governor's Friends May Try to Obtain Action on His Reforms in the State Committee To-day.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 10.—Race-track gambling will be the principal issue in the next State campaign, according to a leader friendly to Gov. Hughes. The extraordinary election in the Forty-seventh (Niagara-Orleans) District to fill the seat left vacant by the death of Senator Franchot will be fought squarely on this issue. The order for this election was promulgated from the Executive Chamber to-day.

Moreover, Gov. Hughes has determined to take a hand in the fight himself if necessary, by delivering speeches in the district, for the purpose of placing the issue squarely before the people. The leaders lined up against the Governor are considering plans to head off this contingency by invoking the courts to restrain the Secretary of State from sending out the proclamation on Constitutional grounds growing out of the recent reapportionment tangle.

Senator Raines, the Republican leader in the upper house, declared to-day that he had no intention of submitting those measures to a caucus of the majority.

To Put Party on Record.

With the attitude of Senator Raines, who speaks for the machine element, thus defined, friends of the Governor and the race track bills are determined that the party organization in the State shall go on record as either favoring or rejecting the proposed reforms. It was said by Republican leaders representing the element friendly to Gov. Hughes that the matter might come before the State Convention or the meeting of the State Committee for reorganization purposes to-morrow.

The initiative in this line of action will probably come from some member of the organization who could not possibly be accused of Odell affiliations. As a result any accusation that the issue was being raised for factional purposes would at once be silenced.

"Race track gambling," said one of the leaders friendly to Gov. Hughes, "will be the principal issue in the next State campaign, and the party organization might just as well go on record now one way or the other."

More and more the impression is gaining ground here that leaders within the Republican organization who entertain close relations with President Roosevelt, received a quiet tip on the eve of the decisive battle that the President would not be displeased if the racing reforms were defeated. Senator Agnew may renew his appeals for the bills in such a manner that the President may virtually be forced into going on record.

May Appeal to Roosevelt.

The appeal would be for the purpose of having the President use his influence with Senator Burr of Suffolk, who comes from the President's home district, to have him vote for the bills when they come up on a reconsideration of the vote. Senator Burr was one of the eight Republicans who helped to defeat the bills. When his attitude first became known, Senator Agnew sent a telegraphic communication to Congressman W. W. Cocks, who represents the President's district in the House of Representatives and is very close to the President, asking him to place the situation before Roosevelt with a view of bringing about the conversion of Senator Burr.

In the reply, which Congressman Cocks asked Senator Agnew to keep secret, Mr. Cocks, according to Senator Agnew, virtually intimated that such an appeal would be embarrassing to the President, and that for this reason it must be kept from him. If Senator Agnew should renew his appeal it will be to the President personally.

Senator Grattan of Albany was coerced into voting against the bills by William Barnes, Jr., leader here. It was after a recent visit to the White House that the local newspaper controlled by Mr. Barnes began to print editorials violently assailing the proposed race-track legislation. Senator Cassidy is politically affiliated with Representative J. Sloat Fassett, another Roosevelt leader.

Senator Wilcox listened to the advice of Congressman Sereno E. Payne, reputed spokesman for the President on the floor of the House. Senator Wemple has confidence in Leader Barnes's political ideas.

The only Senator with pronounced Roosevelt leanings who did not vote against the bills was Horace White of Syracuse.

Senator White has Gubernatorial aspirations. After Senator Grattan had voted against the bill, White, with Senator Burr, congratulated the Albany Senator.

Call for Election.

Gov. Hughes before he left for Watertown to-day promulgated his call for a special election in the Niagara-Orleans district, to be held on May 12.

Senator Grady said immediately after he learned of the Governor's action:

"There will be no extraordinary election, the Governor's proclamation notwithstanding. It should be remembered that this Senate represents districts under a reapportionment plan which has been declared unconstitutional and that the Court of Appeals has declared that every Senator serving now does so defacto—that is he is here because he is here. Under the circumstances Senator Franchot, representing an unlawful district, did not leave as heritage any title to his seat.

Within His Rights.

Edwin A. Merritt, Jr., majority leader of the Assembly and a lawyer, expressed the opinion that the extraordinary election was within the Constitution, but that it must involve the entire State.

Gov. Hughes, according to his friends, has closely considered the legality of his action, and is well satisfied that he will be upheld by the courts.

Politicians from the Niagara-Orleans district—both Democrats and Republicans—are not at all certain that a Republican could be elected to fill Franchot's seat.

GRATTAN CENSURED.

Albany Ministerial Association Passes Resolutions on His Vote.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 10.—Resolutions criticising State Committeeman William Barnes, Jr., and his representative in the Senate, William J. Grattan, because of their attitude on the Agnew-Hart Race Track Gambling bills were adopted to-day at a meeting of the Albany Ministerial Association. It is announced that similar meetings will be held in various parts of the State, especially in districts represented by up-State Senators who voted against the bills.

DELAYS WALL ST. INQUIRY.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 10.—Assemblyman Wagner (Dem.) of New York made an attempt to-day to introduce a bill in the lower house providing for a legislative committee to investigate Wall Street methods. Such an investigation was recommended by Gov. Hughes in his special message yesterday. Assemblyman F. G. Whitney (Rep.) of Oswego objected and blocked the plan. With the Rules Committee in charge, bills can be introduced in the lower house at the present time only by unanimous consent.

To Stop Betting at Benning.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—A sub-committee of the Senate Committee on the District of Columbia to-day made a favorable report on the House bill to prohibit betting at the Benning race track. Chairman Carter of the committee will report the bill to the Senate Monday.

MANHATTAN CLUB STIRS.

Expected Again to Take Prominent Part in Democratic Politics.

The election of permanent officers for the Manhattan Club for the ensuing year has given rise to the suggestion that the officers and members of that ancient Democratic institution are beginning to take notice. Since 1896, when Mr. Bryan was nominated, the club has been politically inert.

At the recent meeting ex-Chief Justice Morgan J. O'Brien as President, ex-Chief Justice Alton B. Parker as Vice President, and Henry D. Macdona as Secretary, were added to the permanent officers of the club, and a new House Committee, composed of W. S. Brodie, Isaac Bell Brennan, W. L. Briggs, and ex-Senator Thomas S. Dunham was directed to announce for some day immediately after Easter a banquet to the Justices of the Appellate Division of the First Department in order to hospitably mark the installation of the two ex-Chief Justices in the club's management.

As marking the club's recent prosperity Mr. O'Sullivan, the Treasurer, announced the purchase of $35,000 worth of securities for the club's building fund.

The reported recent increase in the membership is taken as an indication of renewed and hopeful interest in Democratic politics of the best sort, and it is intimated that after the amenities signalizing the election of Judge O'Brien and Judge Parker a series of banquets and receptions will be given to National Democratic leaders in accord with Manhattan Club sentiment.

GIRL LEAPS FROM SKIFF.

Brooding Over Mother's Death, She Attempts to Drown Herself.

Long brooding over the loss of her mother is said to have mentally unbalanced Helen Bauer, 19 years old, of 27 Twelfth Street, College Point, L. I., and yesterday, while out rowing in Flushing Bay with William Doyle of 203 Richardson Street, Brooklyn, the girl attempted suicide by leaping into the river. Doyle quickly dragged her out. She was taken to the Flushing Hospital a prisoner.

THOMAS CREW FIND ALASKA IMPASSABLE

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the lurch from three to twelve feet in the soft snow.

To ride on the sleds burrowing their way along over such a track makes one feel a jack-in-the-box, with the lid of the box suddenly clapped down on one's head and as suddenly released. Automobiling, even were the trail wide enough, would become a hurdle race, with constant stops to dig the cars out of the ruck and set them right and with the snow gone before thirty miles could be accomplished.

As the weary crew, spent with its exertions, returned to the town, at 10 o'clock in the morning, a raven flashed across the trail and perched on a bare tree near. It might have croaked "Nevermore!" and echoed the thoughts of the autoists. But it did not.

AGREED ON ALTERNATIVE ROUTE

Thomas and Zust People Decided to Get to Paris Anyway.

Anticipating that it might be impossible to cross Alaska on the trail in view of the late date of starting from San Francisco, after the delays due to the exceptional weather encountered in the United States, the two leaders in the New York to Paris race determined a fortnight ago, if necessary, to make the trip to Paris across Siberia and Europe by an alternative route.

It was agreed between E. C. Morse, representing the Thomas car, and R. W. Vollmoeller, representing the Zust car, that their two machines would go as far as possible over the original route, and if at any time it should become impossible to proceed, they would go back to the United States and ship by the first steamer thereafter to Vladivostock and proceed to Paris over the ten thousand miles intervening between the Asiatic port and the ultimate destination.

The agreement between the two cars was submitted to the other two contestants in the race, and it is anticipated that they also will take the alternative route, and the four cars will proceed to Paris by way of Vladivostock.

FOREIGN RACERS EMBARK.

Zust Crew Wins a Bet by Being Ready on Time.

Special to The New York Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 10.—The De Dion and Zust cars in the New York to Paris race will be on the way to Seattle this afternoon. We will sail on the steamer City of Puebla of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company this morning. A tremendous crowd gathered to see us off, and gave us a great ovation. We are due to arrive in Seattle on Monday morning, and expect on Thursday to sail for Alaska in pursuit of the Thomas car.

At midnight last night the crew of the Italian machine was at work in the garage of the Gearless Company preparing the Zust for the trip. The machine was in pieces, and each part was being inspected, to make sure it was in fine condition. A new body also had to be put on the chassis, as the other had been badly shaken. It seemed impossible that it could be ready to sail with the De Dion to-day, and St. Chaffray bet Scarfoglio a bottle of champagne that it would not be on the dock ready to depart at 11 o'clock.

The De Dion was on board at 9 o'clock, but the Zust was not to be seen. At 10:50 o'clock, when the steamer was about to cast off its lines, the Zust came, and St. Chaffray broke the bottle of champagne on the bonnet of the Zust as the car was being loaded aboard.

G. BOURCIER ST. CHAFFRAY.

KOEPPEN BACK AT OGDEN.

Four Days Will Be Required to Repair the Protos Car.

Special to The New York Times.

OGDEN, Utah, April 10.—Lieut. Koeppen arrived here this morning from Seattle with the extra parts for the Protos car, which had been delayed there in the Custom House, and began repairs on the disabled German machine at once.

He stated that it would require four days' work before the car would again be able to start, and that he would then proceed by road to San Francisco and take steamer in pursuit of the others.

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No Preference, but Massachusetts Platform Admits Majority of Delegates Want Him.

IN INTEREST OF HARMONY

Platform Calls for "Wise Revision" of the Tariff—Gov. Guild for Vice President.

BOSTON, Mass., April 10.—The four delegates-at-large from Massachusetts to the Republican National Convention will go to Chicago unpledged. These four delegates are United States Senators Henry Cabot Lodge and W. Murray Crane, ex-Secretary of the Navy John D. Long, and Sidney O. Bigney, a business man.

The alternates-at-large selected were Frank E. Dunbar of Lowell, Winfield S. Schuster of Douglas, Ralph D. Gillett of Westfield, and James F. Shaw of Manchester.

The convention adopted resolutions indorsing Gov. Curtis Guild, Jr., as a candidate for the Vice Presidential nomination and advocating a "wise revision" of the tariff. On the question of the candidacy of Secretary of War William H. Taft for President the platform contained this statement:

A resolution declaring that the preference of the convention was for Mr. Taft for President was submitted to your committee. Upon consideration we have unanimously agreed that it is unwise to include a resolution in favor of any particular candidate in the platform. A number of the committee are favorable to Mr. Taft's candidacy and we all recognize that a majority of the delegates to the convention desire his nomination. It is, however, very uncertain whether a resolution of preference would be carried, and its presentation would certainly lead to a contest, which would be injurious to the welfare of the party. For these reasons and because of their earnest desire for a harmonious convention the minority members of the committee join with the majority in their decision not to present a resolution of preference.

This plank, the adoption of which was the feature of the convention, was admitted by all the party leaders to be a compromise affair.

Up to an early hour to-day both sides had made every effort for a decisive victory in the convention. The Taft people wanted either pledged or preference resolutions, while their opponents fought against anything that would indicate a preference. The compromise was effected when the leaders of the unpledged cause admitted that a majority of the delegates to the State Convention favored Secretary Taft, and the Taft leaders agreed that a resolution expressing a desire instead of a preference for his nomination would be satisfactory.

Senator Lodge, immediately after the reading of the statement, explained that the compromise was made in the interests of party harmony as well as for his friendship for his colleague, Senator Crane, his desire for the success of Lieut. Gov. Draper next Fall, and for the perpetuation of the policies of President Roosevelt.

The resolutions were then carried, and even Congressman A. P. Gardner, one of the leading Taft supporters in Massachusetts, arose in their favor.

The selection of the four delegates occupied but little time. Ex-Gov. John L. Bates of Boston, who withdrew his candidacy for one of the places on Tuesday last, placed the four names before the convention and on his motion they were chosen by acclamation.

TAFT IN LOUISVILLE.

He Says Some Issues Are Being Kept Alive by Bryan.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 10.—Secretary of War William H. Taft to-night ended a busy five hours in Louisville by a speech at the Hopkins Theatre. He held a public reception this afternoon at the Galt House. After dinner at the residence of Marshall Bullitt, he addressed an overflow meeting in front of the theatre.

"We have before us," said the Secretary at the Hopkins Theatre, "a campaign presenting many serious issues. Some others are not so important, but are kept alive by the gentleman who, I presume, will head the Democratic column. Mr. Bryan, I presume, speaks for the Democratic Party."

At this mention of Mr. Bryan's name there was scattering but vigorous applause. Mr. Taft smilingly said:

"I am glad to note that there appears to be a number of Democrats disguised as followers of Mr. Bryan in the house. I hope they will hear a little sound doctrine."

Wadsworth Won't Run.

Ex-Congressman James W. Wadsworth is not going to run for Congress again, according to a letter he has written to Republican State Committeeman John A. Merritt of his district, the Thirty-fourth.

GIRL GETS ALLEGED THIEF.

Heard Men Enter Room Near Hers in the Gilsey House.

A man who said he was William H. Jarvis of 217 West 126th Street, was arrested last night by Patrolman Daly of the Traffic Squad, charged with unlawfully entering a room at the Gilsey House.

Louis Frankel, manager of the hotel, told the policeman that he had been notified by Laura Fegley, who lives at the hotel, that two men had been trying to enter the room of a Mr. Scherer, whose room, 117, adjoins the one she lives in.

She said that she had been alarmed by the sound of some one trying to enter the room last night just after she had seen Mr. Scherer leave the hotel, and on stepping into the hallway saw two men in there. She thought it was suspicious, and notified the manager, and the arrest of Jarvis followed, the other man having disappeared. At the police station, when Jarvis was searched, it was found that he had in his possession, in addition to a valuable gold watch and a diamond pin, a ticket for Europe on the Red Star Line and about $500 in cash.

Mrs. Alice Webb Arrested in Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Mrs. Alice Webb, divorced wife of Brodie L. Duke, the tobacco manufacturer, was arrested to-day on a warrant charging her with having defrauded a Chicago hotel company by means of fraudulent checks. She was held at the Harrison Street Police Station to-night in default of bail. Mrs. Webb is alleged to have passed a check for $25 and one for $50, drawn on a bank in Nacogdoches, Texas.

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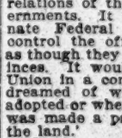

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Deplores Recent Decision of Supreme Court in the Railroad Rate Cases.

SHILOH BATTLEFIELD, Tenn., April 10.—The monument erected by the State of Minnesota in the National Park at Shiloh to the memory of the Minnesota soldiers who fell there was dedicated here to-day. Gov. Johnson and his staff, accompanied by a party of fifty prominent men of Minnesota, were present, and participated in the exercises. Gov. Johnson in his address said in part:

"In this hour, when there seems to be a disposition to depart from the established forms, when there seems to be a desire upon the part of those in authority to abide in a central bureaucracy, rather than in a representative democracy, it becomes you and me to protest against any departure whatsoever from the Government which came to us from the Constitutional Convention of 1787, and those amendments which have been made to it by specific will of the people.

"Our concern is not of the past, nor wholly with the present, but much with the future. If the destiny of the Republic is in the hands of the American of to-day, then it becomes him to be guided and governed only by patriotic impulse and the desire to do that which will most largely contribute to the permanency of republican institutions.

"With the development of the country and changes in economic conditions, and particularly with the growth of great private corporations, performing many of the functions of the Government, has come the necessity for the exercise of strict Governmental control, and a rigid enforcement of all the laws enacted to restrain the rich and powerful from encroaching upon the natural and legal rights of the poor and weak.

"Very recently there has come from the highest judicial tribunal in the land a decision of vital interest and concern to the American people, because it has established a principle, as stated by one member of the court, which 'would work a radical change in our governmental system and would inaugurate a new era in the American judicial system and in the relations of the National and State Governments. It would enable the subordinate Federal courts to supervise and control the official action of the States as though they were dependencies or provinces. It would place the States of the Union in a condition of inferiority never dreamed of when the Constitution was adopted or when the Eleventh Amendment was made a part of the supreme law of the land.'

"If this is the result of this decision, it is, to my mind, one of the unhappy incidents in the history of our Republic, because the very theory of our Government is based upon the right of the States to control absolutely their own domestic affairs.

"If, then, our whole system is changed, have we not only retarded the progress of the Republic, but have we not gone back a century toward a centralized form of government which is not to the advantage of the people?"

Pick Democratic Chairman.

It was officially announced yesterday that Thomas Carmody of Penn Yan will preside at the Democratic State Convention, which is to be held here on Tuesday.

Roslyn Here on a Mining Venture.

The Earl of Roslyn, who once acted on the American stage and is a brother of the Duchess of Sutherland, arrived in New York on Thursday and went to the Hotel Gotham. The Earl is now interested in mines in Mexico, and has come to New York from Mexico on business. Last night he went to the theatre.

Suggested for Leventritt's Place.

The names of ex-Justice M. Linn Bruce and John Frankenheimer have been proposed to Gov. Hughes for the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench created by the resignation of Justice Leventritt.

Woman Killed by Headache Powders.

Mrs. Annie Turnuen, who lived with her husband and one child at 310 East Fortieth Street, dropped dead in the kitchen of her home yesterday after taking two powders for the headache. Dr. Hahhan of 231 East Thirty-ninth Street, who was summoned, said that frequent use of the powders had weakened Mrs. Turnuen's heart.

Presbyterians to Aid Immigrants.

An immigration department was organized yesterday by the National Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, with offices in New York. The department will study the economic, social, and religious life of immigrants in the countries from which they came, as well as in the localities in which they will make their homes in this country.

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FEARED HE'D GO CRAZY

A Note and Bottle of Drug Lead Coroner to Investigate Suicide Theory—Son Collapses.

Frank Mauser, silversmith, with a factory at 103 to 109 Oliver Street, Newark, N. J., died yesterday afternoon in the office of the Frank E. Campbell undertaking establishment, 241 West Twenty-third Street, under circumstances which caused Coroner Shrady to withhold his opinion as to how the man died. The Coroner would not say whether or not he believed that Mr. Mauser had committed suicide.

In the man's pockets were found a three-ounce bottle about one-quarter full of a liquid believed by two physicians to be a powerful drug and a nerve tonic, as well as a strangely worded note which seemed to indicate that Mr. Mauser had expected to die in the undertaking rooms. Coroner Shrady took the note and the bottle, the contents of which he will have analyzed. The note, which was not directed, and was not inclosed in an envelope, read:

"My nerves are in a terrible condition. I am afraid I'll get crazy."

The letter was signed with the name "Frank Mauser." Beneath this the letter continued:

"Telephone William F. Mauser, manager of Schumann's Sons, Twenty-second Street and Broadway, and my daughter, Mrs. John Ryan of 247 West 115th Street. I want to be buried at Woodlawn from this (your) place. Don't bury my body in Newark. Telephone to Schumann's Sons, 1,164 Gramercy, before 6 P. M."

The words, "Don't bury my body in Newark" were heavily underlined. The note was written on the letterhead of the "Frank Mauser, Silversmith, 103 to 109 Oliver Street, Newark."

As soon as Mr. Mauser died the instructions in the note were carried out, and his son was quickly in the undertaking rooms. When he was told what had happened he collapsed. He was revived afterward, and when he had read the note left by his father he remarked:

"I can't understand it. I don't think he had any reason to take his own life."

Mr. Mauser's body was left at the undertaking rooms, where Coroner Shrady's physician will examine it this morning. Until then the Coroner will not state what was the cause of death.

The events just prior to Mr. Mauser's death were learned from S. L. Buckingham, Superintendent of the undertaking rooms. He was in the office of the place between 5 and 6 o'clock when he saw Mr. Mauser trying to push open the revolving doors. He noticed the man stagger, and so went to another door and escorted the old man into the office. There Mr. Mauser took a seat and asked:

"Do you attend to interments in Woodlawn?"

Mr. Buckingham was about to answer the question when Mr. Mauser suddenly uttered a groan and sank to the floor. When Mr. Buckingham leaned over him he was senseless, and the Superintendent sent messengers for Dr. J. H. Patrick of 333 West Twenty-third Street and Dr. William J. Narey of 227 West Twenty-third Street.

By means of hypodermic injections and using artificial respiration the doctors succeeded in reviving the elderly man until it seemed that his life might be saved. It appeared that he was about to speak when he suddenly gave a gasp and died. Neither physician was willing to determine what had been the cause of death, and the Coroner was notified.

The young Mr. Mauser did not offer any explanation as to his father's presence in the undertaking rooms, but Mr. Campbell said that the elder Mr. Mauser was a Mason, from a button which he wore on his coat, and the undertaker believes that he had come to arrange for his own funeral, perhaps having attended other Masonic interments managed by the Campbell Company.

INSPECTOR J. J. LANGAN DEAD.

Police Officer Was Stricken with Pneumonia at His Desk Saturday.

Police Inspector James J. Langan died last night at 9:55 o'clock at his home, 106 East Ninety-sixth Street, of pneumonia. He was taken ill last Saturday at his desk in the station house at Jamaica, L. I., where he had charge of the Twelfth Inspection District.

The Inspector's condition grew steadily worse, and the Rev. Father O'Donnell of St. Francis de Sales Church administered extreme unction on Thursday night, but yesterday his physicians thought he was better and were hopeful of his recovery. Last night, however, the patient sank rapidly until he died. His wife and their three daughters, Grace, Helen, and Marion, were with him at the end.

Mr. Langan was appointed to the force in May, 1878; he was promoted to Roundsman in May, 1885, and made a Sergeant in June, 1887. He became a Captain in January, 1903.

On Sept. 25 last, Commissioner Bingham appointed him an Acting Inspector and assigned him to duty in the Twelfth Inspection District.

For many years he was detailed to duty in the District Attorney's office.

Dinner of Dwight Alumni.

The fifteenth annual dinner of the Dwight Alumni Association was held last night in the ballroom of the Hotel Astor. One hundred lawyers and jurists who studied under the late Prof. Theodore W. Dwight attended. Among those who spoke were Judge George C. Holt, Walter C. Noyes, and Prof George Chase. At a business meeting before the dinner the officers were re-elected.

Canteen Association Incorporates.

Supreme Court Justice Hendrick signed the incorporation papers of the Army Canteen Association yesterday. The objects are to reintroduce, if possible, the canteen into the United States Army. The incorporators are Henry P. Fry, Theodore V. Barton, Miles S. Vickery, Mark Hutchins, and Donald McPhail. The office of the association is at 70 West Forty-sixth Street.

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ALBANY PRIEST ENDS LIFE.

Rev. J. S. Graham Was Depressed and in Need of Rest.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 10.—The Rev. Joseph S. Graham, rector of the Roman Catholic Church of the Blessed Sacrament, on Central Avenue, in the western end of the city, and one of the best-known priests in the Albany Diocese, ended his life to-day by sending a bullet through his heart while in the study of the parish house near the church.

Annie Cole, housekeeper for Father Graham, was the only person in the house besides the priest when the shot was fired. She was on the main floor of the parochial residence when she heard a pistol shot. She hurried upstairs to the study and found Father Graham at his desk with a revolver in his hand.

"Oh, why did you do it?" she asked.

"I'm discouraged about the service to-night," he replied.

A moment later he was dead. Bishop Burke was early on the scene. He said the dead priest had been in an exceedingly nervous state for the last three weeks.

"He had suffered from depression," he continued, "and had not acted like himself for a long time. His physician had repeatedly advised him to give up his work and go away for a rest."

The Bishop said that the act of Father Graham did not surprise him in the least. He said that Father Graham apparently did not wish the Bishop to get a priest to take his place in case he went away to regain his health. Among those who were called to the house was Police Captain Patrick H. Mahar, a brother-in-law of the dead priest, in whose precinct the suicide occurred. Father Graham is survived by a brother, Edward J. Graham, a National Bank Examiner, and two sisters.

Father Graham attracted attention last year by attending almost daily the races at Saratoga. It was recalled to-day that about a year ago he had some trouble with his assistant pastor, Father Riley. Father Riley declared that the pastor had driven him from the parochial residence. Father Riley was later transferred.

Father Graham was born April 6, 1868, in Albany, and was educated in the public schools and was graduated from the high school in 1882. He attended Niagara University for one year, and entered St. Joseph's Provincial Seminary, at Troy, where, after a four years' course, he was ordained priest by the late Bishop McNeirney.

His first work in the ministry was as assistant at St. John's Church in this city, where he remained for about three years, when he was appointed pastor of the Sacred Heart Church at Caldwell, Lake George. He remained there eleven years. On March 21, 1901, he was appointed pastor at St. Joseph's Church, Richfield Springs. In August, 1903, he was made pastor of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament.

Father Graham built a church at Bolton, on Lake George, which was under his care while he was at Caldwell. At Richfield Springs he freed the church from debt, and his ministry there was characterized by great energy.

Customs Chief Gerry Resigns.

James L. Gerry has resigned from the post he occupied for many years in the Treasury Department at Washington as Chief of the Division of Customs. It is understood that on May 1 he will become a member of a new law firm, to be known as Brown & Gerry, with offices at 12 Broadway. His partner will be Everett Brown, formerly of Comstock & Brown.

Interborough Wins Conduit Suit.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court handed down a decision yesterday sustaining the appeal of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company in the case in which the Public Service Commission sought to restrain the company from receiving its electrical current through ducts built in the Subway, which are owned by the city and leased to the company. The decision grants a new trial, with costs to the appellant to abide the event.

EXPECT DISPUTES ON TRANSFER RULES

Curtailment of Former System Approved by Judge Lacombe Took Effect at Midnight.

FEW EXCHANGE POINTS LEFT

Conductors Will Issue Transfers from Now On Only at Six Points of Intersection.

The new transfer rules of the street car systems, made possible by a recent decision of United States Circuit Court Judge Lacomb, which do away with transfers from cars of the New York City Railway Company to those operated by the Third Avenue, Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Railway Company, and the Kingsbridge Railway Company, except at certain designated points, went into effect at midnight last night. That there will be a lot of confusion and many disputes between conductors and passengers this morning was the expectation on all sides yesterday.

Under the new rules transfers will not be issued from the Third Avenue, 125th Street crosstown, the 110th Street crosstown, the Eighty-sixth Street horse car line, the Tenth Avenue and Broadway branches of the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Avenue line; the Forty-second Street crosstown line, and Kingsbridge line to cars operated by the receivers of the New York City Railway Company, except at the points mentioned below.

The exceptions are at the intersection of Broadway and Amsterdam Avenue, at Seventy-second Street, the intersection of Broadway and Columbus Avenue, at Sixty-fifth Street, Forty-second Street and First Avenue, Thirty-fourth Street and First Avenue, Forty-second Street and Tenth Avenue, and Fifty-ninth Street and Tenth Avenue.

At the Seventy-second Street intersection the conductors of north-bound Broadway and Amsterdam Avenue and Sixth Avenue and Amsterdam Avenue cars may issue and receive transfers from north-bound cars of the Broadway branch of the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Avenue line, while at Sixty-fifth Street and Columbus Avenue the south-bound cars of the two companies will exchange transfers.

At Forty-second Street and First Avenue passengers on north-bound Belt Line horse cars can transfer to north-bound Tenth Avenue branch cars and to west-bound Forty-second Street crosstown cars, while at Thirty-fourth Street and First Avenue they can transfer from the horse cars to south-bound Tenth Avenue and west-bound Forty-second Street cars. At Forty-second Street and Tenth Avenue the horse-car conductors will transfer passengers to south-bound Tenth Avenue cars, and at Fifty-ninth Street and Tenth Avenue the conductors of the Fifty-ninth Street crosstown cars, both east and west-bound, will issue and receive transfers from north and south-bound Tenth Avenue cars.

The line that will probably experience the most trouble owing to the change in transfer rules is the Forty-second Street crosstown road, which handles the heavy New York Central traffic. A passenger who lands at the Grand Central, and who desires to go uptown on Sixth Avenue, Broadway, or Eighth Avenue on the west side, or at Lexington, Second, or Madison Avenues on the east side, will find when he boards one of the crosstown cars that he can only transfer north on one of the cars operated by the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Avenue lines. If he wants to go south, his transfer will take him in that direction by the Third Avenue line, but that line will not transfer him to any other line south of Forty-second Street.

The 125th Street crosstown, another busy line, will not transfer to the Broadway branch of the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Avenue line, nor to the Third Avenue line, but it will transfer to the Eighth, Columbus, Lexington and Madison Avenue lines.

Coming south on any of the lines operated by the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Avenue line, it will be impossible to transfer to Fifty-ninth, Thirty-fourth, Twenty-third, Fourteenth, Eighth, or any of the crosstown lines further south. The same thing is true going north.

The Third Avenue line will transfer only to the Forty-second Street line.

VANDERBILT TESTIMONY IN.

Referee McClure Says Plaintiff Called to Testify, Like Others.

David McClure, referee in the divorce suit brought by Mrs. Ellen French Vanderbilt against her husband, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, said yesterday that so far as he was concerned the case was at an end, the taking of testimony having been completed. Mr. McClure objects to published statements that he was believed to have taken Mrs. Vanderbilt's evidence at her home in Tuxedo last week-end.

"Mrs. Vanderbilt came to my office last Monday afternoon the same as the other witnesses in the case have done," he asserted.

The usual custom followed in suits where a referee is appointed is that at the close of the taking of testimony the referee notifies counsel on both sides that his findings are ready, and they submit them to the court. This is expected to be done on Monday, when, if the court confirms them, the decree will be made public, and nothing else.

RIGHT TO INSPECT BOOKS

Not Necessarily Conferred on Holder of 1 Share Out of 150,000, Court Says.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in an opinion handed down yesterday in the matter of Robert E. Henry against the $15,000,000 corporation of the Babcock & Wilcox Co., decided that a stockholder of a corporation cannot inspect and copy names and data from the company's stock book without reason.

Henry owns one share of $100 value, and wanted to read and copy the names of shareholders and the number of shares each held. On being refused Henry submitted to the Appellate Division that under the law governing the case he is entitled to collect $250 from the corporation.

Justice McLaughlin wrote the opinion, in which Justice Patterson concurred and Justice Scott concurred in part. The two Justices who declared Henry was entitled to collect his $250 were Houghton and Laughlin. Justice McLaughlin wrote:

"I cannot believe that the Legislature intended that a person by purchasing one share of stock out of an authorized issue of $15,000,000 should thereby acquire the right to inspect the stock book during business hours for as many hours as he might see fit and copy names and addresses of the stockholders for purposes purely personal, not connected in any way with the corporation or to protect the applicant's interest therein."

MRS. GOULD WINS A POINT.

Appellate Court Throws Out Actress Helen Mar's Evidence.

On an appeal by Mrs. Katherine Clemmons Gould the Appellate Division decided yesterday that the evidence of Miss Helen Mar, the English actress, taken before a Commissioner, cannot be used at the trial of the separation suit which Mrs. Gould has begun against her husband, Howard Gould. Miss Mar's evidence linked the names of Mrs. Gould and Col. W. F. Cody.

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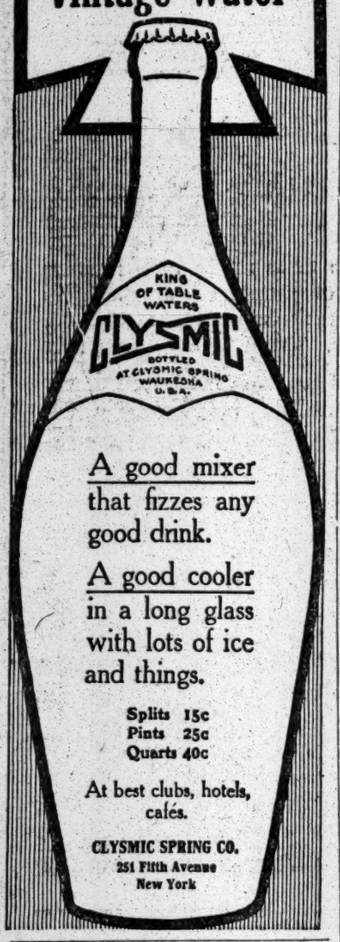

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JACKSON TRIES AGAIN TO CONTROL ORIENTAL

Asks Through Special Counsel to Have Receivers Reappointed for the Bank.

OPPOSED BY DEPOSITORS

They Say They Assented to Liquidation Plan and That Only $417,000 Is Now Owing to Them.

Attorney General Jackson tried to break into the Oriental Bank situation again yesterday by sending William E. Kisselburgh, Jr., as special counsel before Justice Dowling, in the Supreme Court, Special Term, to ask the Justice to appoint receivers once more for the institution. The receivers originally appointed on the application of Mr. Jackson were discharged some time ago by Justice O'Gorman, in the Supreme Court.

Mr. Kisselburgh based his motion yesterday on the condition originally disclosed when the bank closed, in the communication of the State Banking Superintendent to the Attorney General. He declared that with the bank closed and unable to meet its liabilities there was nothing to do, so far as the Attorney General was concerned, but to bring an action to wind up the institution, which he now sought to do.

On behalf of the bank, Mr. Beekman of Philbin, Beekman & Menken, counsel to the bank, said that the entire matter had been settled when the Appellate Division approved the liquidation plan and refused to allow the Attorney General to appeal from its decision.

"Since that time," Mr. Beekman said, "the bank has paid out $5,500,000 to its depositors through loans made by the Metropolitan Trust Company, and now it owes only $2,000,000, while the accounts of depositors not paid aggregate only $417,000. I do not think that such a speedy liquidation has ever been accomplished in a banking institution before."

Mr. Beekman called attention also to the fact that the examination of the Oriental by the State Banking Department after the suspension showed that the bank had assets of $7,500,000 and a surplus of $483,000 over and above its capital stock, which was intact.

"These people," he said, referring to the receivers, "want to hang on to their job as people never wanted to hang on to a job before, and I would like to call to your attention the fact that on March 29 the Carnegie Trust Company submitted to us an account for $20,000 for fees while acting as receiver. We refused to pay out one cent, and two days afterward we were served with motion papers in this case. I have no comment to make on this procedure, but the papers speak for themselves.

"It would be a great hardship for this court to prevent through the appointment of receivers the payment of the other $417,000 of deposits, when in fifteen days we have already paid off the accounts of 1,500 depositors."

David McClure, as counsel for the Committee of Depositors, reminded Justice Dowling that they had approved and joined in the plan for liquidation through the Metropolitan Trust Company, and that the Appellate Division had declared that the Attorney General was not the guardian of either depositors or stockholders against their will. Mr. Kisselburgh in reply declared that new facts had been discovered, but Justice Dowling said that he had not seen any new facts as yet. He denied the plea of Mr. Kisselburgh for an immediate decision and took the papers.

Von Buelow Goes to Italy.

BERLIN, April 10. Prince von Buelow, the German Imperial Chancellor, accompanied by Princess von Buelow, left tonight for Italy. It is declared that the Chancellor's visit will be purely of a private nature.

Poor Rich Children

Two hundred thousand dollars is enough to "bring up" a little daughter of the rich. If it's a boy, it will cost more.

May K. Warwick takes up the case of these rich children, in the current issue of THE SATURDAY EVENING POST.

A wealthy Boston couple put their two boys under the care of French bonnes and governesses. When the children reached the ages of eight and nine they were sent to a well-known school. They knew their mother-tongue so very little that they could not understand what their instructors were saying to them, and they actually did not know how to dress themselves. They had to be sent home; there was no place for them, even in a fashionable school.

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Hobson Predicts Safe Majority in House for President's Naval Plan.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The House took up to-day the discussion of the Naval Appropriation bill in earnest. The debate hinged on the relative merits of the majority report, which advocates two new battleships, and the minority report, drafted by Representative Hobson, which declares strongly in favor of the President's recommendation for four.

Every delegation from the Pacific Coast will favor the construction of four ships, according to Mr. Hobson, who predicts a safe majority for the appropriation. The feeling on the coast, he said, is such that the Far Western Representatives will vote for any proposition that will increase their defenses against a sea attack.

Chairman Foss of the Naval Committee praised the President's judgment in ordering the Pacific cruise of the fleet, and declared that the beneficial results are already manifest in our increased prestige in the Pacific and with the South American republics.

It had been expected that the Lilley charges would come up in the course of the general debate, but the only reference to them was an immaterial question directed by Representative Henry of Connecticut to Representative Padget of Tennessee.

Representatives Favrot of Louisiana and Knowland and McKinley of California supported the provision for four ships.

President Roosevelt's desire for four battleships may result in the sending in of a special message.

EXEMPTS UNION AND GRANGE.

House Bill to Exclude Both from Operation of the Anti-Trust Law.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—A bill to exempt labor unions and granges from the operation of the Sherman anti-trust law, as interpreted recently by the United States Supreme Court in the Connecticut hatters' case, was introduced in the House to-day by Mr. Wilson, the labor representative from Pennsylvania.

CONFERENCE ON PRIZE COURT.

Maritime Powers Will Try to Frame an International Code of Law.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Great Britain has extended an invitation to the great maritime powers to participate in a conference at London, preferably next Fall, to determine, if possible, on definite principles of maritime international law capable of being applied by the proposed prize court provided for at the last Hague Conference.

The United States will be represented at this conference, according to announcement at the State Department to-day. While the conference is designated as "informal," upon its deliberations and conclusions will undoubtedly depend the fate of the proposed international prize court.

CASTRO'S GRIP ON COURTS.

British Syndicate Unable to Get a Lawyer to Press Its Case.

LONDON, April 10.—Great Britain is being pressed to take up diplomatically the cases of the British match and salt monopolies in Venezuela, whose concessions were annulled by Executive decrees of the Venezuelan Government in January of this year. The Government is reluctant to act, as it advised the controlling company not to enter into the contracts.

When the question was brought to the attention of Foreign Secretary Grey he advised that the British Government could not interfere until all means of securing redress through the Venezuelan courts had been exhausted. Latterly the syndicate has called the attention of the Foreign Office to the difficulty of securing justice in Venezuela. Only one lawyer in Caracas could be found to take up the case. He was immediately charged with being a revolutionist, and had to go into hiding.

The Foreign Secretary is now considering this aspect of the case. Officials admit that this case is one of the most difficult with which they have had to deal. They point out that President Castro would very likely ignore any representation made by the British Minister to Venezuela.

ANARCHIST PLOT IN PARIS.

Three Men Had Cartload of Dynamite for a May 1 Outrage.

PARIS, April 10.—The police of this city have taken into custody three well-known Anarchists named Kuhn, Roux, and Roussel. They also captured a cart loaded with dynamite, which the prisoners had in their possession.

An investigation of the records and doings of the three men has established the existence of a group of international Anarchists composed of Russians, Italians, Spaniards, and Frenchmen, who planned a series of bomb outrages on May 1 with the object of creating a reign of terror in Paris.

NEW BRITISH CONSUL HERE.

The Hon. Reginald Walsh Appointed to Succeed Clive Bayley.

LONDON, April 10.—The Hon. Reginald Walsh has been gazetted British Consul at New York.

Mr. Walsh succeeds the Hon. Clive Bayley here. His last post in the British Consular Service was in Dunkirk, France, whither he went in July, 1906. He was born in 1868, and his first appointment was to the post of British Consul for Continental Greece.

Sir Percy Sanderson, who was British Consul General in New York for thirteen years, resigned in February, 1907, and sailed for home on April 27 of that year. He has been succeeded by Courtenay Walter Bennett.

Kaiser's Party at Corfu.

CORFU, Island of Corfu, April 10.—The German imperial yacht Hohenzollern, carrying Emperor William and the Empress, Prince August Wilhelm, Princess Louise, and the suites and retinues of their Majesties, arrived here to-day from Venice, and was saluted by the fortress and the British ships of war in the harbor. The town and the surroundings of the villa Achille, the Emperor's new residence, were lavishly decorated.

Notes of Foreign Affairs.

LONDON, April 10.—Herbert Henry Asquith, the newly appointed Premier of Great Britain in succession to Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, returned to-day to London from Biarritz, where he has been in conference with King Edward. He got a flattering welcome from the large crowds that had assembled at the railroad stations. The Premier will have several conferences with his colleagues before announcing his Ministerial appointments.

FRANKFORT, Germany, April 10.—Fully 50,000 workmen in the various branches of the building trades will be locked out to-morrow in Southern Germany, Hesse-Nassau, part of the Rhine provinces, and in several North German cities, because of the failure of the negotiations between the builders and the painters to reach a basis of hours and wages.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 10.—Emperor Nicholas to-day approved the bill raising the Russian Legation at Tokio to an embassy. The appointment of M. Malevsky-Malavitch as the first Ambassador to Japan is regarded as certain.

BATH, England, April 10.—Ten miners lost their lives in the Norton Hill Colliery in Somersetshire to-day as a result of an explosion of coal gas. The first rescue parties to go down were overcome by the fumes in the mine, and were saved only with the greatest difficulty. Some of them are in a precarious condition.

CAMBRIDGE, April 10.—John William Strutt, Lord Rayleigh, was to-day elected Lord Chancellor of Cambridge University in succession to the late Duke of Devonshire.

LONDON, April 10.—At the Clerkenwell Sessions this morning the appeal of Dr. Stanton Coit was allowed and the sentence handed down against him March 5 was quashed. Dr. Coit is a well-known writer and lecturer on economic subjects, and he was sentenced last month in London to one month's imprisonment for assault upon the conductor of an omnibus on which he was a passenger late at night. He denied the charge.

LONDON, April 10.—Miss Mary Robinson, one of the witnesses in the Druce case, was to-day sentenced at the Old Bailey to four years' penal servitude for wilful perjury. The passing of sentence upon Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, another Druce witness who yesterday was found guilty of wilful perjury and conspiracy, has been postponed, pending an appeal on points of law.

STRAUS OPTIMISTIC ON BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Says Archaic Banking System Was Answerable for Conditions of Recent Panic.

MARBURG GIVES REMEDIES

Advocates Before Academy of Political Science Postal Savings Banks and Guarantee of National Bank Deposits.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.—The scope and limits of Governmental control over industry and corporate management was the general topic discussed at this year's annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science in Witherspoon Hall here to-day.

A brief address was made by Prof. Leo S. Rowe of the University of Pennsylvania, who is President of the Academy. Dr. Rowe introduced Isidor Straus of New York, who spoke on "The Business Situation and Its Cause." He said in part:

"While the last panic was probably the severest that this country has experienced within the memory of any living man, we fortunately were not confronted with one phase of mistrust which was the chief factor in creating and prolonging the disaster of 1893, namely, the question of our standard. Then we were threatened with going on to a depreciated silver basis. And yet the last crisis was more acute, because the commerce of the country had grown tremendously, therefore the amounts involved were so immense that the fear of a currency famine produced such mistrust that the sentimental effects created the gravest feature of the panic.

"Our archaic banking system is answerable for such irrational conditions as developed during the panic of last November and December.

"It has often been predicted in the past that New York City in the not far distant future would become the exchange centre of the world. The experience of the last few months, however, sets back by a number of years the possibility of the consummation of this hope. So long as our money market is exposed to such vicissitudes as the experience of this last crisis brought so prominently and graphically before the world, we cannot come into our own, and we will still have to use the letters of credit on London and other European money centres for a large portion of our foreign commerce.

"I cannot refrain from adding, as a merchant of nearly half a century's experience, that the pessimist who desires to pose as a prophet had better seek another country than ours. We undoubtedly have suffered and are suffering from conditions which seem to be inseparable from a young and vigorous nation. If bad legislation could have definitely checked our progress we surely would not have arrived at our present marvelous development. But as no man, or no human institution, is perfect, both should be measured by the balance struck after deducting the vices from the virtues, and this balance, I believe, justifies us in looking at the future with cheerful resignation, in a hopeful, yes, optimistic spirit."

Marburg on "The Panic."

Theodore Marburg of Baltimore spoke on "The Panic and the Present Depression." He said in part:

"It is safer and more helpful not to accept too freely the fatalist theory of periodicity of panics, but to look for special causes in each panic.

"Chief among these appears to be the attitude of the Federal and State Governments toward the railroads; next, an extravagant fine on a single industrial corporation. These occurrences together left the investing public uncertain as to values.

"A fine such as that imposed on the Standard Oil Company is out of keeping with the spirit of modern law, which is remedial, seeking cure and prevention, and subordinating the idea of retribution and revenge. A fine the mere fraction of that actually imposed, together with an indication of what the maximum fine might have been, would have demonstrated effectively to its managers the power of the Government to ruin the Standard Oil Company if they failed to obey the law, and the desired end would have been obtained without such disastrous consequences to the stockholder and the public.

"The crisis was aggravated, as we know, by a run on banks. Two devices suggest themselves as calculated to prevent recurrence of this—one, postal savings banks, the advantages of which must be apparent to every student of public questions; the other, guarantee by the Federal Government of deposits in National banks."

Anti-Trust Legislation.

G. L. Duval, speaking on the topic, "The Business Effects of Anti-Trust Legislation," said in part:

"'The people who are governed least are governed best' is equally true of corporations, without prejudice to the necessity for legislation to fix their status and regulate their procedure. Shorter sessions of Congress and of State Legislatures are devoutly to be wished, and the trusts can contribute to this end by recognizing the futility of opposition to measures vital to the public interest. If those in control would recognize a trust in the broader sense, and render to Caesar only his due, make public policy a part of their consideration, and conduct the affairs in their charge in the same way as made a success of their earlier careers, we would hear less of anti-trust legislation and its effect on business."

William J. Schieffelin, Vice President of the National Association of Wholesale Druggists, spoke on "The Business Effects of Anti-Trust Legislation." Judge Grosscup of Chicago spoke on "The Scope, the Limits, and the Duty of Government in Relation to Corporate Construction and Management," and Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith made an address.

THREATEN TO KILL GOVERNOR.

Oklahoma Negroes Resent Enforcement of "Jim Crow" Law.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., April 10.—A threatening letter was received here to-day addressed to The New Guthrie State Tribune in which the writer asserts that Gov. Charles N. Haskell and Bud Ledbetter, the Chief of Police of Muskogee, are to be assassinated and the city of Guthrie burned by negroes. The letter is unsigned.

The letter is an outgrowth of the "Jim Crow" law passed by the Legislature and recently put into force. It has been rigidly enforced by the Governor, and Chief Ledbetter has ordered all negroes not employed to leave Muskogee.

Every gambling house and saloon in the city has been closed.

COURT FREES A BIGAMIST.

Judge Foster Suspends Sentence, Prisoner Giving Bond to Support Children.

Judge Foster, in General Sessions, suspended sentence yesterday on Michael Briefer, a young photographer, who pleaded guilty to bigamy several days ago, when his friend E. J. Schwabe of 814 Broadway, furnished bonds for him guaranteeing $7 a week to the support of the two children of his first wife, Evelyn Frey, and $3 a week for the support of the child of his second wife, Mary E. Taylor.

Where's the Joke?

From The London Globe.

One of the points made to support the theory that Thaw was insane at the time when he killed Stanford White was the fact that he had "stary eyes." Travelers in the Tube had better be careful.

Rabbi Quits Pulpit to Sing in Opera.

After laboring for six years as rabbi of the Congregation Bikur Cholim, whose temple is in Wyona Street, East New York, the Rev. Daniel Cantor has resigned his charge to become an opera singer. Mr. Cantor has a fine baritone voice and is at present in Boston, having, it is said, procured an engagement with the Castle Opera company, which is appearing in that city. Before becoming a rabbi, Mr. Cantor was a singing master, and at one time, it is said, sang minor roles in Italian opera.

E. A. Hunt Dies After an Accident.

Edgar A. Hunt, a glove manufacturer of 504 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, living at the Hotel Belmont, died in Dr. W. T. Bull's sanitarium, 33 East Thirty-third Street, yesterday afternoon. On March 20 he was knocked down by an ambulance of Roosevelt Hospital in Ninth Avenue near Fifty-third Street. He leaves a widow.

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REALTY VALUES HINGE ON ONE LITTLE WORD

Tenement Property Affected by Decision That "or" Should Be "and" in Law.

CAN'T KEEP JANITORS DOWN

Appellate Court Hands Down a Decision by Which They May Escape Basement Dwellings.

A decision of great interest to tenement-house architects and builders, covering the question of basement living rooms was handed down yesterday in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.

Virtually all the decision does is to change the word "or" in a section of the tenement house law to "and," but that means that hundreds, and perhaps thousands, of tenement-house landlords will have to provide quarters other than those in basements for their janitors, and will by so much diminish the revenue from their houses.

The case grew out of an effort on the part of Abraham and Harris Cohen to compel Tenement House Commissioner Butler to approve plans for alterations to fifteen tenements in 140th Street, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, so that certain basement rooms might be used for living purposes. The builders sought to get this approval by a mandamus directed against the Commissioner, to which the Tenement House Department, through Assistant Corporation Counsel John P. O'Brien, demurred. From a judgment overruling this demurrer the appeal decided yesterday was taken.

The houses in question are of the conventional six-story type, separated from one another along the rear fifty-eight feet of their depth by courts thirteen feet wide. At the rear is a private right of way extending through the block at the same level as 140th Street. The courts, however, have been depressed seven and one-half feet below the level of this private way. The result is that the ceilings of the basements of the houses, although nine and one-half feet above the level of the courts, are only two feet above the street level.

The tenement house law provides that ceilings in basement rooms "shall be at least four and one-half feet above the surface of the street or ground outside of or adjoining the same."

The contention of the builders was that the law had been complied with if a basement ceiling was 4½ feet above either the street level or the ground outside, the latter being, in the case of the 140th Street houses, the level of the depressed court yard. Assistant Corporation Counsel O'Brien, on the other hand, maintained that the street level was intended to be the primary determining factor.

Justice Scott, in his opinion, in which all of the other Appellate Division Justices concur, holds to the latter interpretation of the law, and says, in effect, that the "or" in the statute should be read "and."

He justifies this view by saying that it clearly carries out the intention of the framers of the tenement house law, and cites cases to show that the substitution of "and" for "or" has frequently been resorted to in the interpretation of statutes when the evident intention of the lawmakers required it.

Not the least important phase of this decision will be its effect upon old tenements built before the enactment of the present law. The wording of that section of the law covering basement ceilings in old houses is exactly the same as that governing the newer houses, except that the required height is two feet above the street "or" ground outside, instead of 4½ feet.

DEMANDS REALTY CO.'S BOOKS

Commissioners of Accounts Want Light on City's Real Estate Purchases.

There was a lively tilt yesterday at the Haffen inquiry between Commissioner of Accounts Mitchel and a witness named Havender, Treasurer of the Geisler-Haas Realty Company, a concern which has had a great deal to do with real estate transactions between the city and private owners. Mr. Mitchel has been wanting the books of the concern for several weeks, and the Treasurer had previously testified that they were in the safe and that only "Mr. Geiszler" had the combination. Mr. Geiszler, the President of the company, is in the South.

Two of the books were produced yesterday, and one of them showed erasures. It was learned, also, that the President's brother, Alois Geiszler, on whom a subpœna had been served, was in possession of the combination of the safe. This enraged Mr. Mitchel, who asked Mr. Havender what he meant by "playing with perjury."

Geiszler, the younger, refused to produce the books unless the Treasurer ordered him to do so, saying that he was only an employe. Mr. Havender, recalled, said he would not order the books produced unless the Directors sanctioned it. Finally he said he would get the Directors together and try to have the books there this morning.

The Directors of the concern have already held a meeting and raised the question of whether the Commissioners of Accounts have a right to examine the books. It is possible that the point will be taken to the courts.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

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The Army.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—First Lieut. W. Harper, Seventeenth Infantry, proceed to Washington Barracks, D. C., and report to the commanding officer, General Hospital, for observation and treatment.

Major J. B. Jackson, Eleventh Infantry, proceed to Washington Barracks, D. C., and report to the commanding officer, General Hospital, for observation and treatment.

Capt. C. W. Kutz, Corps of Engineers, repair to Washington to attend a meeting of the Niagara Falls Committee, April 13.

Major W. Lassiter, Third Field Artillery, proceed to Hot Springs, Ark., reporting to the commanding officer, Army and Navy General Hospital, for observation and treatment.

Leave.—Capt. F. M. Caldwell, Twelfth Cavalry, fifteen days.

The Navy.

Commissioned.—Lieutenant Commanders—C. S. Bookwalter and A. G. Kavanagh. First Lieutenant—J. A. Rossell, U. S. M. C. Chief Boatswain—E. J. Damon.

Lieut. Commander H. C. Kuenzell detached works General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y., to duty connection with fitting out the Birmingham and duty on board when commissioned.

Lieut. Commander L. McNamee to duty as Inspector of Equipment and Ordnance, General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Surgeon J. E. Page, retired, placed on retired list.

Naval Constructor T. F. Ruhm detached works Moran Brothers, Seattle, Wash., to home, leave ten days; thence to navy yard, New York.

Chief Boatswain J. J. Rochfort detached the Hancock to duty connection the Southery and the Topeka.

Lieut. S. I. M. Major detached the Denver to naval station, Cavite, P. I.

Lieut. Commander J. H. Rowen detached naval station, Cavite, P. I., to Naval Hospital, Mare Island, for treatment.

W. H. Washburn appointed Paymaster's clerk, duty naval station, Guanatanamo, Cuba.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived.—Albany and South Dakota at San Francisco; Tennessee and California at Bellingham, Washington at Seattle, Navajo at San Diego, and Brutus at Lambert Point.

Sailed.—Eagle from Guantanamo for Haiti, Panther from Magdalena Bay for San Diego, Buffalo from Magdalena Bay for Mare Island, via San Diego, Pontiac and Powhatan from Boston for Newport, and Des Moines from Port au-Prince for Guantanamo.

The Tacoma will sail on April 13 from Curacao for Norfolk.

Rear Admiral Thomas has transferred his flag temporarily from the Minnesota to the Connecticut.

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MILLIONS, COUNT 'EM,

Awaiting a Claimant in England, and Lawyer Heymann Has Found an Heir.

According to Henry M. Heymann, a lawyer, of 116 Nassau Street, American heirs are about to begin a legal battle for untold millions left by Alfred Page, a London ironmaster, who died intestate in 1833. Mr. Heymann said yesterday that the ironmaster's estate amounted to $125,000,000 "at least" at the time of his death. All this has been in the hands of the British Court of Chancery since; so, with accumulated interest, it is now quite a fortune.

One American claimant for the property, according to Lawyer Heymann, is Alfred G. Page, a merchant of this city, who has lived all his life in moderate circumstances, ignorant of the extraordinary fortune now in store for him. Mr. Heymann, however, would not say yesterday where his client lived, because in the last fight of this kind that he had on his hands, as soon as the newspapers published the names of the heirs and their addresses, several hundred other lawyers started bombarding them with offers to serve as counsel.

"But anyway," said Mr. Heymann, the facts about this Page estate are these: In 1883 Alfred Page, the great English ironmaster—a man like Carnegie, you all know Carnegie is an ironmaster—died and left a fortune of £25,000,000—that is, as much as $125,000,000 in our money. He had two brothers, both of whom had left him in anger, and their names were John and Rosamond Page. John died in Pennsylvania thirty-three years ago and left three boys and two girls, all of whom have had children. The other brother, Rosamond, is still alive at the age of 85. He has four boys and two girls, and all of them have had children."

THE TIMES reporter, for whom Mr. Heymann had sent, here interrupted to ask how it was that Rosamond left the wealthy ironmaster in anger at the tender age of 10. Mr. Heymann was more anxious to tell about the big fortune, but when it was pointed out to him that brother Alfred, having been dead seventy-five years, and brother Rosamond being now eighty-five, brother Rosamond must have been ten years old when Alfred died and left his £25,000,000, he said it was true, Rosamond was very young when he got angry at Alfred at that time. Then he went on with the tale of the present Pages.

"I represent—now put it down—Henry M. Heymann of 116 Nassau Street, attorney for claimant. I represent one of the sons of John Page, who has been living here all his life in most moderate circumstances. His name is Alfred G. Page and he is 47 years old, and has one child and a wife. He knew about Alfred Page, the ironmaster who died in England in 1833, long ago, and did not do anything about it until an American friend who was traveling in London saw in the newspapers the advertisement for heirs and told Alfred G. Page, and that was the way I came into the matter. Now I am going to send a man abroad on Saturday week—Saturday week, as soon as that—and I ought to go myself, but I am a busy man and attorney for a dozen corporations—see over there the boxes—and so I am going to send a man. There! Isn't that proof enough for you?"

While Mr. Heymann paused for breath, the reporter asked him about the present value of the estate:

"Oh, it is more than £50,000,000—that is $250,000,000 of American money, you know—and besides that there is real estate all over England.

TOLD IN DREAM TO KILL.

Talma Sardoni First Prays, and Then Slashes Husband with Knife.

In a paroxysm of religious mania, Talma Sardoni, the wife of Salvatore Sardoni, who lives at 329 West Twenty-sixth Street, cut a deep wound in her husband's neck early yesterday morning while he lay in bed, because he had pleaded fatigue and refused to worship at the shrine she had erected in their bedroom. She said St. Joseph in a dream had ordered her to kill him. The wounded man was taken to the New York Hospital, where seventeen stitches were put in the wound. The surgeons say it will be fully five weeks before Sardoni will be well enough to get out and attend to business.

His wife was arrested and taken before Magistrate Herrman in the Jefferson Market Court. He committed her to the psychopathic ward at Bellevue Hospital for observation as to her mental condition.

POLES AND ITALIANS IN A FIGHT FOR WORK

Fifteen Hundred Men Exchange Shots at Standard Oil Plant in Jersey.

ARMED DEPUTIES ON GUARD

Laborers Came Hundreds of Miles Only to Find There Was No Work for Them.

Special to The New York Times.

ELIZABETH, N. J., April 10.—Once again this morning the hostile hordes of Italians and Poles, who are camping around the Standard Oil refineries at Linden, near here, waiting for employment, got into a fight, and this time revolvers were used. Hundreds of shots were fired. Seven men and six women were arrested. Only one man was wounded. Sheriff Lawrence said to-night that if the trouble increases it may be necessary to ask the Governor for troops.

The Poles fear that the Italians, who are camped near them, may get all the work there is on the refineries the Standard Oil Company is building at this place. The Italians fear the Poles will keep them from geeting work. There is no work for either faction, but neither side seems able to understand that. Many of the laborers are from as far west as Chicago.

Though the Standard Oil Company has at work on its refineries at Linden all the men it wants, 750 Poles arrived about three weeks ago with their baggage and women folks and went in to camp until they got work. A few days ago about the same number of Italians came in with all their luggage and women folk. They camped a short distance from the Poles. Race feeling began to make itself felt from the start.

On Wednesday one of the Italians threw a stone at a Pole, and the inmates of the two camps turned out for battle. The Italians seemed to get the worst of the fight which followed. This morning the Italians marched in a body to the Standard Oil works and asked for employment. They could get none, and as they walked away the Poles came trooping up four abreast. A Pole threw a stone at the disappointed Italians.

That was the signal for another fight. The Italians drew revolvers and began to fire at the Poles. The Poles had few firearms but made use of big stones for missiles. Only one man was wounded seriously.

The fight lasted 45 minutes, and hundreds of shots were fired. The men employed on the refineries deserted their work and sought shelter in any shanty. Finally Special Officer Grans got together the special policemen, who were sworn in by Sheriff Lawrence after last Wednesday's fight, and this force drove the fighting factions from the company's property.

Grans then read to both the Poles and the Italians the Riot act of 1884, which allows the shooting of a rioter on his refusal to leave the scene of a disturbance. The laborers then marched back to their camps.

Six women and seven men were arrested. The women were searched for weapons and turned loose. The seven men were put in jail on Sheriff Lawrence's order. Each man had a revolver.

Some twenty-five men employed by the Standard Oil Company have been sworn in by Sheriff Lawrence as special deputies.

"We intend to keep order," he said this afternoon, "if we have to shoot to kill. But I have instructed my men not to shoot except as a last resort."

PATI'S SON-IN-LAW BACK.

Appears at Bank—Says Banker Has Left This Country.

Salvatore di Nofrio, a son-in-law of Pasquale Pati, the banker, has returned to New York. Yesterday he went to the banking house of Pasquale Pati & Sons at 240 Elizabeth Street and offered his services to the receiver. He also told some of the details of Pati's hasty flight from the city on the night of March 23, when he posted a notice on the doors of his banking house saying that he feared assassination by the Black Hand, and would suspend payment for a fortnight.

Di Nofrio said yesterday that he did not accompany Pati in his flight. He also said he did not know where the Patis are in hiding, although he thinks they have left the country.

It was believed that di Nofrio was a partner in the firm, but he says he was merely employed there. The police say they have no warrant for him, although they are looking for Pati and his two sons. Di Nofrio told the receiver yesterday that he had been left practically penniless by his father-in-law.

The receiver has nearly finished the winding up of Pati's affairs. He has found that of the forty-five properties of which Pati advertised that he was the owner there are about twelve in which the banker had an equity. But in several of these the equity is small. It is unlikely that more than a few cents on the dollar will be realized by the 5,000 or more depositors.

BOY DIES ALONE IN SWAMP.

Deserted by Playmates, Is Drowned, Probably After Long Fight for Life.

James Ryder, 3d, 12 years old, only child and namesake of James Ryder, 2d, of 626 Vernon Avenue, Long Island City, was drowned on Thursday afternoon in a pool of water in the swamp lands back of the North Shore tracks of the Long Island Railroad. The boy's body was not found until yesterday morning, when his parents were conducted by two of young Ryder's playmates to the spot where they had last seen him.

The boy was a bright, manly little fellow, and attended Public School 83. At noontime it was his custom to take dinner to his grandfather, James Ryder, who is an engineer in the Vernon Avenue Paint Works. This the boy did on Thursday, after which he should have gone on to school. Instead, however, it seems that he met two young playmates, Charles Keiter, 8 years old and Fred Mercer, 6 years old, and the trio agreed to forego school and go fishing in the swamp.

After fishing for some time young Ryder began to play and climbed up an electric light feed wire pole. Ryder's playmates said yesterday that the boy seemed to take hold of the wires stretched on the pole, and immediately he was thrown from his footing into the swamp. Then, terrified, the other boys ran away. They said nothing about it that night, but when, yesterday morning, young Ryder's parents visited the school to get news of their boy, the Keiter and Mercer boys told what they knew and took the parents and Policeman Edward Phillips to the scene of the accident.

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Boy Falls from Improvised Raft—Companions Helpless to Aid Him.

Playing with two other boys on a raft in a tide-water pond at 144th Street and Willow Avenue, the Bronx, yesterday afternoon, Charles Meyer, 13 years old, of 514 Eost 149th Street, fell into the water and was drowned in spite of the efforts of his companions to save him.

Young Meyer, with John Rogers, 15 years old, of 517 East 149th Street, and Samuel Young, 12 years old, of 432 East 148th Street, had gone to the pond, where there were about three feet of water. Both Rogers and Young ran to the side of the raft, but could see nothing of their companion. They grappled for him with the poles, but failed to bring him to the surface. Several men then waded out to the raft, and after some trouble they pulled the boy from beneath the raft. He was dead.

Palm Sunday Mass for Night Workers.

Among the features of the special Palm Sunday mass for night workers to be held at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow morning at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Church, will be "The Palms," sung by Mrs. Amelia Devin, the contralto soloist of the Catholic Summer School at Cliff Haven. She will be assisted by the regular choir composed of men employed on the newspapers of the city. Father Evers, pastor of the church will celebrate mass.

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WOES OF A FAVORITE SON.

It is the misfortune of the supporters of Gov. HUGHES that the Republican State Convention and the choice of delegates by the District Conventions come at this unpropitious moment. The racing bills are uppermost in the public mind, and for that reason they are constrained, largely, to urge his candidacy upon that insufficent basis. Gov. TILDEN's administrative reforms, and notably his destruction of the Canal Ring, reinforced by the public memory of his great service against the Tweed Ring a few years earlier, made him not merely a "favorite son," but the National candidate of the Democracy. The stopping of gambling at horse races hardly constitutes eligibility to the office of President—and Gov. HUGHES has not yet succeeded in stopping it. Betting upon horse races is, no doubt, a source of wide demoralization. But the crusade against it is not an issue to be wrought into a pedestal from which to exhibit to eighty-six millions of people a candidate for their suffrages.

For more than one reason the defeat of the Governor's laudable endeavor works to his disadvantage. If it be argued that the bills were defeated because the Senate is bad, the politicians will make reply that the Governor has been inefficient, or, at least, unsuccessful in making use of the resources at his command. He has not thought it worth while to attempt by personal appeal and persuasion the winning over of the votes he needed. He has trusted rather to public utterance and to the weight of his authority as Governor. In the Executive Chamber, apparently, he has not been a figure sufficiently august and imposing to overawe the Senate and bring it to do his will. Now he must trust to an extra session and the somewhat doubtful expedient of ordering the election of a Senator in the Niagara-Orleans District. It must be confessed that the outlook for his ultimate success is not promising. There are, of course, other public services of great value to which his friends can point, but it cannot be denied that his failure in respect to the racing bills was from the point of view of his Presidential aspirations untimely, and of evil augury.

No comfort is to be derived from the suspicion, or conjecture, that Presidential politics have played their part in the racing bill fight. The failure to send delegates instructed for HUGHES from Westchester, from Albany, and from districts in this city, indicates the employment of dark and subterranean methods against him. The magnanimity which prompted Mr. TAFT to ask that his friends in this State should bow to the prevailing Hughes sentiment is an emotion that has not been shared by the Administration men in New York. The delegation will be divided, and that is an element of weakness. The party, too, is very evidently divided, but that menace to its success in carrying the State next November might have been guarded against by giving to Mr. HUGHES the nomination for the Vice Presidency—if he would take it. The racing bill imbroglio and the passions engendered by the war made upon him as Governor and as candidate, visibly impair his availability even for that. The talk heard at Albany of an appeal to the President to save the racing bills, if it be not an invention of his enemies, must be set down as evidence of the desperation of his friends. The victory over the stubborn Senators would then be the President's, not the Governor's. It is difficult to see how such an issue of the long strife could add to the prestige of Mr. HUGHES.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

Rumors of pending British Cabinet changes are interesting and significant. If Mr. HALDANE is to be advanced to the peerage and the Lord Chancellorship he will get no more than his deserts. But he will leave the War Office vacant and the Chancellorship of the Exchequer will still be unfilled. Mr. HALDANE has been the favorite candidate of the less radical Liberals for the office the new Premier must resign soon after the Easter holidays.

The announcement that Mr. JOHN MORLEY will accept a peerage not so surprising nowadays as it would have seemed some years ago. Mr. MORLEY's services to his party and to his nation as well have been valuable. His advancement to the House of Lords will satisfy the national sense of fairness, and he will be enabled to hold his present post of Secretary of State for India, in which he has lately won new honors, without the appearance of having been overlooked in a time of general promotions.

It is a good guess that WINSTON SPENCER CHURCHILL will be advanced to the War Office, though he must then undergo the ordeal of a re-election to Parliament at a moment when the Opposition is particularly eager and hopeful. The report that DAVID LLOYD GEORGE will be the new Chancellor of the Exchequer now has some sort of confirmation. A few years ago he was regarded as one of the advanced radicals, with strongly Socialistic leanings. But he has exhibited sagacity and prudence in his later public life, and the belief is strengthened that he may some day be the leader of his party. Only the other day The London Times credited him with "qualities only too rare in public life" and praised him for "practical common sense and adaptation of means to ends in a business manner." In trying to put his house in order, however, the new Prime Minister cannot hope to satisfy all the factions counted on to support his Government.

CHINA BOYCOTTS JAPAN.

The Herald's special cable dispatches yesterday describing the growth of the boycott on Japanese merchandise in China contained an amazing chapter of modern commercial history. The boycott seems to have the sympathy of all the Chinese in the Canton and Hongkong neighborhoods and to be quickly extending through the vast empire. The Herald correspondent's statement that it is not to be lifted until the Japanese merchants and manufacturers have lost $300,000,000, (Mexican,) equal to $150,000,000 in our money, or 10,000 times the amount of the indemnity recently paid to the Japanese owners of the ship Tatsu Maru, which carried a cargo of arms and ammunition, seized by the Chinese, is made gravely and, as it seems, on good authority.

The Chinese Government gracefully yielded to the Japanese demand for indemnity. The two nations are at peace. The boycott is not countenanced by the Government and is carried on in such a way that the Government cannot interfere. In Canton alone 157 merchants will sell no more Japanese goods. Chinese merchandise will not be shipped in Japanese bottoms. The people generally accept the situation and are pledging themselves not to buy Japanese manufactures:

> The Bankers and Merchants' Guild leaders, who are backing the movement, characterize it as a "civilized boycott." Because of this character of the movement it constitutes the greater menace, avoiding as it does the danger of Governmental interference. Where property has been destroyed it was Japanese goods burned by the merchant owners.
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> The many boycott meetings here and elsewhere have been orderly. No Japanese has been attacked. Tens of thousands of Chinese passengers are daily carried on the river steamers and junks, back and forth, between Canton and Hongkong and Canton and the interior. Every trip finds some glib-tongued passenger preaching the boycott. These are emissaries of the National Disgrace Society, but they act as individuals. The active leaders are known, but they are keeping strictly within their recognized rights and are not likely to be troubled, unless by some means their followers are provoked into personal violence upon Japanese or to riotous acts. There is evidence of a desire on the part of Japanese officialdom to provoke such acts. Within the last few days an unusually large number of Japanese peddlers have appeared upon the Canton streets with Japanese wares.

The economic effects of this great expression of national indignation are bound to be greater and to reach further than those of any other similar retaliatory movement on record. China is Japan's largest market. The Chinese must now purchase goods elsewhere. The loss to Japan will be enormous, even if it does not reach the sum named by The Herald. Other nations cannot hope to sell goods in China at Japanese prices. Hence the Chinese must themselves suffer great pecuniary losses. It would be profitless to speculate who is to be the gainer by the boycott.

SANITARY OYSTERS.

Lynnhaven oysters, blue points and other oysters to which the names of famous planting and fattening parks are applied, long since ceased to come from any especially fancied locality. Their names distinguish them as to size and quality. If their good quality could be insured the location of the beds would be a small matter. Therefore gourmets who prefer oysters fattened in pure, fresh water of river beds, and who are mindful of the condition of the grounds near this city, will rejoice that the new revision of the forest, fish, and game laws which passed the Legislature Tuesday specifies that "no oysters may hereafter be sold" which "are not certified to have come from sanitary localities, unaffected with sewage or other pollutions." This comes close upon the heels of a new provision of the Sanitary Code of this city, as follows:

> No. 185—No oysters shall be held, kept, or offered for sale anywhere in the City of New York without a permit in writing from the Board of Health and subject to the rules and regulations of said board.

Both the city and the State, within their respective jurisdictions, can prevent the sale of improperly fattened oysters. The Health Commissioner declares that there is no increase in cases of typhoid this year; in fact, they are fewer. But that the code provision should pass the board of doctors after listening to a special report on the matter indicates that it was needed. Infected oysters do carry typhoid, though to what extent is not definitely known. Dealers must be keenly sensible of the fact that to aid the officers in shutting out products from the zones of pollution will result in the securing of a better supply, and in restoring the confidence of their customers in its purity. If the country's other oyster centres, including Boston, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, will follow the example of New York a growing scandal will be checked in the interest of good living.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

How Many Is Enough? A question that is, indeed, "of some general interest" was raised in the letter from "J. W. E.," printed on this page yesterday. The writer said that every day he bought three morning papers, two early afternoon editions to tide him through luncheon time, and two more for careful perusal at night. The reproof of a friend that he was spending too much money for newspapers he properly dismissed as unimportant, but he is somewhat disturbed by the fact that, while he was formerly a reader of books, he now finds himself with little time and a lessening inclination for literature between covers. He wanted to know whether the change signified a deterioration in his own taste, a deterioration in books, an increase in his interest in world affairs, or an improvement in newspapers.

These are inquiries not easy to answer, and some of them we could not attempt, the data required for reaching a conclusion not being provided. Even to what seems to be the main question implied by the letter—How many papers should a man read who doesn't have to count his pennies too carefully, and who wants to keep himself well posted on the events of the day?—the reply can be little more than "That depends." But two things are fairly certain—such a man must read one paper, and in a city like New York he cannot read them all. Somewhere between those extremes is the golden mean, and each man must determine for himself where it lies.

With every paper a man adds to his list he decreases the amount in each of them that he will really read, and that will be an advantage or a disadvantage, according to circumstances, including his special needs. It will be found on investigation, we think, that most men tolerably well informed and mentally alert, do more or less reading in a good many papers, but newspapers are not designed to meet all intellectual needs, and the man who reads nothing else is certainly on the wrong track.

Books and newspapers are not, or at least should not be, rivals; they are, or at least should be, partners in the work of training minds and protecting society from its enemies. Either can be abused, and both are, but it is doubtful if anybody is in more danger of, or from, devoting too much time to newspapers than of doing the same thing, say, in the case of novels. The man who reads only one paper, even the best, will occasionally "miss something" of interest or importance, but at worst it will be only for twenty-four hours, and the chances are that some kind friend will tell him about it long before the day is up. On the other hand, it is probably better to read too many papers than none at all.

Seeking a Place to Fly. As the Aero Club presumably doesn't want to buy, but only to rent, a plot of land one mile by half a mile and close to the city, it is, perhaps, wise for them to announce their desire before determining on what they want—and getting it. That, however, is not exactly the way in which real estate operations are usually conducted—except by the city itself, of course, and it is well known that the city is happy only when it pays as much as possible for land it needs. People intent on flying are not expected to follow ordinary rules, and, therefore, innovations were to be expected of the Aero Club.

It is most satisfactory to note that the club's members are turning, slowly but steadily, from the balloon to the heavier-than-air machine. To be sure, the eminent SIMON NEWCOMB recently gave mathematical proof that out of material now known to science such machines capable of carrying more than two passengers can never be successfully operated, and that, therefore, they will probably never play an important part in the transportation problem. He admitted, however, that real flight was close at hand, and that is what we are all waiting for. The best of balloons are stupid things, and everybody is tired of them—at any rate, everybody is tired of reading about them. The people who go up in them say they are lots of fun, and that their "navigation" is not quite unmitigated drifting with the wind.

THE ANTI-RACING OUTCOME.

An Indignant Protest Against the Spectacle at Albany.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The spectacle at Albany is altogether ignoble, revolting, and disgusting. It smells to heaven.

The spectacle of the race track gamblers of New York City, backed by their millions of tainted, filthy lucre, infesting the corridors of the State Capitol and bribing their dupes, who are supposed to represent and serve the people of the Empire State; the petty, contemptible trickery in attempting to prevent Senator Fancher, by detaining him in a house and setting his watch back several hours while he slept, from being in his seat in time to vote upon the measure before the Senate, and innumerable other shameless methods resorted to in behalf of the gambling interests, are enough to arouse in the people of this State an indignation that shall literally drive out—as did Christ the money changers in the temple—the whole group of corrupt politicians from the State Capitol.

All honor to Gov. Hughes and all those who, in upholding and supporting him in his battle against the forces of evil, have stood firmly for righteousness in the face of the bitterest opposition!

K. C. NOTMAN.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 9, 1908.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

All honor to such papers as yours, which have stood so nobly by Gov. Hughes in the anti-racing fight, and stayed with him until the last. W. A. T.

Brooklyn, April 10, 1908.

The London Bobbies.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

For forbearance and cleverness in handling crowds and traffic the police of London have twice been commended by so severe and competent a critic as the German Emperor. Within a quarter-mile circuit of Leicester Square are to be found the most dangerous Anarchists in the wide world, yet so feared and obeyed are our police that one man totally unarmed can go among them without a thought of danger. In courtesy, unfailing good-nature, downright pluck, and, above all, as regulators of the greatest traffic in the world, they are without doubt the best all-around police force that exists. A LONDONER.

New York, April 5, 1908.

DR. KOCH AT QUARANTINE.

Praises System Followed by Dr. Doty —Talks of War on Mosquitos.

Dr. Robert Koch, the distinguished German bacteriologist, inspected the quarantine department of the Port of New York yesterday and expressed the greatest admiration for the system and thoroughness of Dr. Alvah P. Doty and his aids. Dr. Koch and Dr. Doty discussed at great length the necessity of exterminating the mosquito and the fight by means of petroleum against the pest. Dr. Koch said the extermination of the mosquito would be of incalculable value to the welfare and health of mankind.

Dr. Carl Beck of 37 East Thirty-first Street took the visiting scientist on the trip. They were first driven in a motor car to the laboratories and experimental station of the Board of Health at East Sixteenth Street and the East River. They made a brief call and then embarked on one of the city's tugs for the quarantine station.

Dr. Koch forgot the scientific interest in the contemplation of the New York skyline, shrouded in a gray film, and seemed to enjoy the views of the city and the bridges. After the tug had passed Governors Island, all the islands and points of interest were pointed out to him. When Hoffman's Island loomed up Dr. Koch heard that this was the hospital and refuge for patients suffering with contagious diseases. He said he would like to look at these buildings more closely, and the course of the tug was changed to enable him to see them.

When the tug landed at Quarantine, Dr. Doty was on the pier to greet his visitors. He showed Dr. Koch the disinfecting boat and explained the system of inspection. The physicians also discussed the way in which cholera had ceased under the rigid quarantine regulations to be a menace to civilized countries. After the ground had been thoroughly covered at the quarantine station, Dr. Doty invited his guests to tea in his home.

It was here that Dr. Koch seemed particularly impressed by Dr. Doty's fight against the disease-bearing mosquito. Dr. Doty's practical system of drainage and his systematic work along these lines were approved heartily by Dr. Koch. Then Dr. Doty presented Dr. Koch with a collection of photographs showing clearly how the health authorities are diminishing the havoc caused by the mosquito. Dr. Koch compared the similarity of the mosquito's disease-bearing qualities with those of the insects of Africa which produce the "sleeping sickness." Dr. Koch has been commissioned by the German Government to discover an antitoxin for use in cases of sleeping sickness.

On the return trip to New York Dr. Koch expressed the deepest approval of Dr. Doty's work, and said that the entire quarantine system of New York is an excellent one.

$9.50 FOR MORGAN'S CHAIR.

Financier Sat In It When He Lived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

"J. Pierpont Morgan, ladies and gentlemen, occupied this suite when the Fifth Avenue Hotel was in its glory," said Auctioneer Clarke yesterday during the sale of the furnishings of the hotel. He was in Room 77 on the second floor. "There's the mahogany bed," he continued; "also a splendid sofa, an easy chair, a table, and a mahogany rocker. What am I offered for the chair?"

Some one offered $3 for the armchair, and the auctioneer retorted:

"I'm pained. I'm shocked. That chair is worth $30 without its historic value. You can sit back and dream of fortune in that chair."

Mr. Morgan's former seat was finally knocked down for $9.50. The mahogany bed, mattress, and pillows brought $34.50. A dressing case sold for $18, and curtains, shades, and portieres fetched $7.

The Morgan suite was at the Twenty-third Street and Fifth Avenue corner on the same floor as Suite 82, which has held as guests Abraham Lincoln and James G. Blaine. The furnishings of the latter suite were also sold, but the prices were low, the suite containing nothing of historic value.

A HAVEN FOR THE POOR.

George La Monte Gives 72 Acres to the Christodora Settlement.

Through the kindness of George La Monte of this city the Christodora Settlement, 147 Avenue B, will have seventy-two acres of fine open country among the hills near Bound Brook, N. J., for a vacation centre this year. The place, which is known as Northover Camp, is an ideal spot where the tired mothers and children of the city will be able to enjoy the fresh country air and come back to the city refreshed.

The sum of $3,500 will be required to equip the site, and fully $2,500 of that amount will be spent in permanent equipment. Mr. La Monte has given $500 toward the fund, besides the land, and William L. Sexton, the Treasurer of the settlement, will be pleased to receive any contributions toward the cause at 147 Avenue B.

BREAD PHILOSOPHY.

Pitfalls Exist Between Good Ovens and the Customer.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Like some other personages, I feel impelled to express an opinion on lots of affairs besides my own, and this time it is regarding bread, the sight of a loaf held between the knees of a driver having driven a good man to desperation. If he sees no worse he is lucky. But back to the bread. Five or six years ago a company was started to do the very thing your correspondent demands, and started a very pretentious establishment on West Broadway. It even baked good bread, but it neglected to take into account some natural laws. Every loaf was wrapped in paper, and, to make matters worse, the paper was oiled, or paraffined, perhaps. The bread, being fresh and moist, speedily grew sour from the suppression of what we may call its perspiration, perhaps, and was uneatable.

Thus ended one lesson. Perhaps some one else will try again, and wrap the loaves in the flimsiest of tissue paper, running the risk (or certainty) of tearing it, but securing some protection nevertheless. Perhaps, also, this may—editore volente—meet the eye of one who may desire to try to furnish clean bread, and warn him of the pitfall, one of many, that lies between his ovens and his prospective customers. ROBERT P. GREEN.

New York, April 10, 1908.

The "Hollow Globe" Theorist.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

You make no reference to the historical author of the theory that the world is hollow, the late lamented John Cleves Symmes, who spent many active years, between 1780 and 1829, in trying to prove that the world is open at the poles. Mr. William Reed, who is giving his name to the Reed Hollow Earth Exploring Club, seems also to have forgotten the man who was the American apostle of the hollow globe theory. Symmes left many curious writings—the unstable foundation for other men to work on in the exploration of "Symmes's Hole." T. J. V.

New York, April 4, 1908.

Agitation.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Some of your readers seem to confuse cause and effect. Agitation is not the cause of classes, but the result of classes. You have the classes, agitation makes you conscious of it. You would not have agitation if you did not have classes. J. V. S.

New York, April 10, 1908.

$110,495 OBTAINED AT BLAKESLEE SALE

Portrait by Sir Thomas Lawrence Brings $5,300 at the Closing Session.

A BEECHEY GOES FOR $3,600

Many Pictures Sold Last Night Went for Prices Far Below Those Asked by Former Owner.

Sir Thomas Lawrence's "Portrait of the Hon. Maria Liddell" brought the highest price of the evening, $5,300, at the closing sale of the Blakeslee pictures at Mendelssohn Hall, under the direction of the American Art Galleries, last evening. It was the highest price of the sale. The portrait was received with applause when shown. It is a canvas 55 by 44 inches, showing the standing figure of a woman of a calm and rather severe style of beauty, her hair banded plainly back from her face. She wears a sweeping gown of red velvet, cut low at the neck, and around her is thrown a slender fur boa. It was bought by W. A. Francis, who, it was understood, was acting as an agent.

The "Portrait of Miss Lennox," by Sir William Beechey, brought the second highest price of the evening, going to Jules Oheme for $3,600.

"Mr. Blakeslee's price for this was $20,000," said Mr. Kirby, the auctioneer.

It was a large canvas, 88 by 54, the full-length portrait of a sweet-faced young woman in a simple white gown and black plumed hat, and at her feet a spaniel. Mr. Oheme also purchased Sir Peter Lely's "Countess of Exeter" for $1,800, and the "Portrait of Lord Glenlee," by Sir Henry Raeburn, for $2,100. This life-size portrait of the Scotch lawyer, sitting in an armchair beside a table of books, was considered by many the best portrait in the collection.

That charming picture by De Vos, "Three Dutch Children," which had many admirers, went to E. Holbrook for $1,125. The Blakeslee price for that was $5,000. An attractive picture which went low was the "Portrait of Miss Hastings," by Francis Cotes, a natural-looking girl wearing a mushroom hat not unlike those worn to-day. It brought $350. The charming little Guardi, "A Venetian Island," brought $575, while its companion sold the evening before for $750. They went to different buyers.

One of the pictures in which the bids ran up in quick jumps was the "Portrait of Lady Clanricarde," by Romney, which went to W. A. Francis for $3,500. This is illustrated in Lord Roland Gower's work on Romney. It started at $1,000, jumped to $1,500, $2,000, and then $2,500, from there going more slowly to the selling price.

The total for the evening's sale was $60,150, making a sum total, for the entire collection of 158 pictures, of $110,495. Robert J. Collier and George A. Hearn were among the buyers.

These are the names of the pictures, artists, buyers, and prices in order:

A Humble Cottage—Joseph Stannard; J. D. Chapman	250
Portrait of a Lady—Nicolaas Maes; J. Schloss	250
Portrait of a Young Lady—German School; Robert J. Collier	200
Portrait of Lady Templetown—Sir Thomas Lawrence, P. R. A.; J. Schloss	775
A Venetian Island—Francesco Guardi; H. G. Beede	575
Venice—Jacopo Marieschi; A. F. Bremmer	80
Village in East Anglia—James Stark; J. Schloss	190
Portrait of a Man—Giovanni Antonio Licinio, (called Pordenone;) Lucien Coblentz	110
Still Life—Pieter Claesz; Mr. Frankel	110
Young Girl Feeding Rabbits—John Opie, R. A.; Ehrich Galleries	275
A Game of Tric-trac—Pieter De Hoogh and Palamedes; J. Schloss	1,600
William Laud, Archbishop of Canterbury—Sir Anthony Van Dyck; J. J. Turner	400
Harvest—John Constable, R. A.; C. A. Ficke	400
Christ Blessing Bread—Josef De Ribera; F. G. McComber	80
Little Girl with Kitten—Sir Joshua Reynolds, P. R. A.; Robert J. Collier	1,150
Portrait of a French Lady—School of Nattier; William Ahlstrom	260
Italian Landscape and Lake—Richard Wilson, R. A.; L. A. Lanthier	250
Portrait of Dr. Woods of Gloucester—John Hoppner, R. A.; J. Schloss	1,100
Lady Clanricarde—George Romney; W. A. Francis	3,500
Study of a Cupid—Sir Joshua Reynolds, P. R. A.; A. Tyler Harberson	200
Eli with the Infant Samuel—Richard Westall, R. A.; W. W. Seaman, Agt	500
Portrait of a Lady—George Henry Harlow; W. A. Francis	1,125
Portrait of a Young Lady—James Inskipp; J. J. Turner	150
View of the Grand Canal, Venice—Antonio Canal, (called Canaletto;) L. A. Lanthier	425
Portrait of Lord Mountstuart—Gainsborough Dupont; L. A. Lanthier	175
Waiting—Jean Gustav Jacquet; J. Schloss	625
Portrait of Henry VIII.—School of Holbein; L. A. Lanthier	225
Portrait of a Lady—John Hoppner, R. A.; M. V. Ahrents	500
Madonna and Child and Attendant—Italian School; Herbert Dupuy	600
The Toilette—John Opie, R. A.; J. D. Chapman	975
The Thatched Farmhouse—Robert Ladbrooke; George A. Henry	110
Portrait of a Young Lady—Antoine Vestier; Mr. Pendergast	200
Portrait of Miss Greatorex—Henry Wyatt; J. J. Turner	850
Portrait of a Young Girl—Jan Anthonisz Van Ravestyne; E. Holbrook	825
Lady Knighton, Wife of Admiral Sir John Knighton—Thomas Gainsborough, R. A.; James Henry	3,250
Earl of Pembroke—William Dobson; A. R. Balton	150
Winchmore Hill, Middlesex—John Constable, R. A.; Mr. McComber	460
Portrait of a Young Lady—Antoine Vestier; Charles A. Davis	310
Portrait of Mrs. Wright—George Romney; W. A. Francis	2,600
Portrait of the Marquise de Liancourt—Robert Tournieres; W. A. Francis	800
A Milanese Nobleman—Cristoforo Moretti; Ehrich Gal	425
Portrait of Captain Beauchamp—George Romney; W. A. Francis	1,025
Portrait of Mrs. Whitehill, Wife of Richard Whitehill and Daughter of Alderman Stephen—Jan Anthonisz Van Ravestyne; B. Thomas	425
Portrait of a Venetian Dignitary—Jacopo Robusti, (called Il Tintoretto;) Robert J. Collier	625
Three Dutch Children—Cornelius De Vos; E. I. Holbrook	1,125
Henry VIII. When Prince of Wales—Ascribed to Pourbus; Ehrich Galleries	425
Eventide—George H. Bogert; W. Edwin Thorp	475
Group of Figures—Govaert Flink; C. A. Ficke	175
Virgin and Child—Ascribed to Botticelli; George A. Hearn	2,300
Elizabeth, Daughter of Charles I.—William Dobson; Otto Bernet, agent	475
Anne of Austria, Queen of Louis XIII.—Franz Pourbus; Edward Brandus	1,100
Landscape—George Barrett, R. A.; C. A. Ficke	150
Canaletto's Conception of a Grand Opera House in Venice—Antonio Canal, (called Canaletto;) George A. Hearn	1,000
Portrait of the Earl of Clarendon—Sir Peter Lely; Jules Oheme	700
A Classical Landscape—James Baker Pyne; A. F. Bremmer	260
Venus Rising from the Waves at the Isle of Cythera—Pietro Francesco Mola; James Henry	1,200
Portrait of Comtesse d'Estrades—Antoine Vestier; R. M. Montgomery	850
Mr. Dalzel, Son of Gen. Dalzel—Sir Godfrey Kneller; H. G. Beade	210
The Duchesse de Chaulnes as Hebe—School of Nattier; H. E. Jackson	550
Portrait of Lady Spencer—Thomas Hudson; R. M. Montgomery	575
The Countess of Exeter—Sir Peter Lely; Jules Oheme	1,800
A Dutch Family Group—Cornelius De Vos; Mrs. John D. Emmett	725
Portrait of Miss Hastings—Francis Cotes, R. A.; Mr. Pendergast	350
The Children of Sir Charles Ashley—Gainsborough Dupont; J. J. Turner	550
The Hon. Maria Liddell—Sir Thomas Lawrence, P. R. A.; W. A. Francis	5,300
Saint Margaret—Bolognese School; Jules Oheme	210
Goddess of Flowers—Evelyn De Morgan; Mrs. Robert Stafford	225
Portrait of a Young Lady—Sir Godfrey Kneller; Jules Oheme	310
Portrait of Lord Glenlee—Sir Henry Raeburn, P. R. S. A.; Jules Oheme	2,100
Peacock and Poultry—Melchior D'Hondecoeter; E. Thalman	650
The Return of the Fleet—William Collins; Ernest Evans	800
Portrait of Miss Lennox, (afterwards Lady Ashley)—Sir William Beechey, R. A.; Jules Oheme	3,600
Portrait of Master Cathcart—Sir Henry Raeburn, P. R. S. A.; B. Thomas	1,950
Portrait of Charles I.—Daniel Mytens; James C. Carr	1,200
Portrait of George III.—Allan Ramsay; W. W. Seaman	700

ALETHEA HILL PLATT'S WORK.

Oils and Water-Colors Shown in the Georges A. Glaenzer Galleries.

Twenty-one paintings in oil and water color by Alethea Hill Platt are on exhibition until April 18 at the Glaenzer Galleries, 33 East Twentieth Street. The water colors in particular show an atmospheric quality that in itself is very agreeable, but that needs the support of a crisper line than Miss Platt commonly uses. The composition in all the pictures is good, carefully balanced, and considered with reference to the value of broad, unconfused spaces. "A Brittany Bedroom," "A Cornish Kitchen," "Sunlit Wood," "Devonshire Farm House" have especially the quality of serenity, even a kind of nobility, gained by this breadth of arrangement.

The two "Wood Interiors" show each a wide path making a fine, ample curve between the trunks of large trees, the light is diffused, not patchy, as so often it is made in subjects of the kind, and there is no fussiness in the treatment of the foreground or foliage. Such pictures, without especially exciting the imagination, make a dignified appeal.

"A Brittany Garden," with its red pots of bright flowers, its little old woman, and its air of rustic peace is an attractive canvas. "Cheer Within," a hut with orange lights glowing at the windows under a cool sky pricked with pale stars, gives less intimately the same sense of human companionship with nature; "Sunset Through the Pines" is a commonplace version of the subject, and shows how much the artist's work gains by her usual careful selection of the point of view. "Still Life" is a brilliant rendering of flame-colored nasturtiums in a gray-green bowl. The "Blue Vase" is in a higher key, and the relation of the blues and pinks is admirably managed, keeping a delightful freshness of tone without being thin or garish.

The studies of interiors are painted with a pleasant feeling for quaintness of type and richness of color in shadowy corners and firelit hearths, but the figures of their occupants are minor accessories neither strong in drawing nor in characterization. Why should interiors not oftener be painted for their own sakes without the intrusion of the figure? No one who remembers the first state of Whistler's etching, "The Rag Gatherers," can doubt the expressiveness of an empty room.

THE RICHARDSON ART SALE.

Boston Museum of Fine Arts a Purchaser—$10,627 Obtained Yesterday.

The Boston Museum of Fine Arts was one of the purchasers at the Kenneth W. Richardson sale at the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries yesterday afternoon. Agents for the museum bought a Persian jug of the sixteenth century for $37 and an old Bokhara plate of the same period for $29.

Returns for the day's sale were $10,627, and for the two days, $16,246. An old Chinese vase, with cover, famille verte, decorated with birds, flowers, and figures, brought the highest price of the afternoon, going to W. Wertheimer for $430. Another old jar of the Kanghi period brought $205. Mr. Wertheimer bought a Meshed Persian carpet for $250. Robert Kelley, a Kermanshah, for $280, and the Hotel Gotham an Afghanistan rug for $120. E. S. Burgess bought an ancient Persian ewer for $31, and S. F. Greene a pair of old Chinese porcelain parrots, highly glazed in green and white, of the Ming period, for $34.

A pair of old Chippendale chairs, upholstered in fine red silk damask, sold for $460. W. Norris paid $230 for two carved Chippendale chairs, and Mrs. M. Livermore $145 for a Queen Anne desk, veneered with different woods. L. Purdy paid $15 for an antique Italian armchair covered with red damask, and A. Wilcox $280 for two antique Renaissance chairs covered with green embroidery and velvet. Elsie De Wolf paid $20 for a carved red damask-covered Chippendale armchair, and Oscar Tschirskey $14 for a pair of sixteenth century ivory miniatures. The sale will close this afternoon.

GOOD PRICES AT SILO SALE.

Fishel, Adler & Schwartz Paintings Bring $71,833.

The three days' sale of the paintings of Fishel, Adler & Schwartz, which has been held by James P. Silo of the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries, closed last evening with total returns of $71,833. Yesterday's sale brought $48,908.

The pictures sold last evening were largely oils, with a few water colors and pastels. Among the best prices were $2,400, paid by F. Kliginfeldt for Detaille's "Twenty-third Dragoons"; $1,125 for Israel's "The Philosopher," which went to C. Warren; $2,950, given by C. F. Wooley for Neuheys's "Family Happiness"; $1,225 for Ziem's "On the Lagoon," which went to R. Alexander; Mrs. L. Tiemans paid $1,050 for Rosa Bonheur's "Tiger"; Mauve's "Plowing" brought $3,200; A. Bonheur's "Cattle in Stream" went to H. Allwyn for $1,350; Neuhuy's "Industrious Granny" brought $2,550, and Daubigny's "Approaching Storm" $3,200.

Other purchasers were R. Ferguson, J. C. Crawford, G. Morrison, L. Kohler, H. A. Cass, H. Morris, and C. McCall.

TO CONFER ABOUT SCHOOLS.

Commissioner Hayes and Chief Croker Not Certain About Rights in Buildings.

Fire Commissioner Hayes will have a conference with Chief Croker to-day or Monday regarding the control the Fire Department may or may not have over the public school buildings of New York.

The opinion of Corporation Counsel Pendleton that the protection of the public school buildings from fire as well as all other matters pertaining to them was in the hands solely of the Department of Education came as a surprise to the head of the Fire Department. For several years the Fire Department has been inspecting the school buildings and suggesting changes.

"I do not know exactly what our authority in the matter is," said Commissioner Hayes yesterday. "I shall have a conference with the chief about it. I have seen only sections of the Corporation Counsel's opinion regarding the Board of Education's exclusive responsibility, and though I have not had the opportunity to consider the matter thoroughly I am inclined to take his view of it. I have not asked, however, for a special opinion on the subject for my guidance."

RALLY AT THE METROPOLITAN.

Evangelistic Committee to Open Season with Theatre Meeting.

The Chapman-Alexander rally will open the fourth season of work conducted by the Evangelistic Committee of New York City at the Metropolitan Opera House, Broadway and Fortieth Street, on the evening of April 21. Eight different denominations, representing a large number of churches, are interested in the movement. Prominent business men of the city also are allied with the work.

Many well-known speakers will address the meeting, and a chorus of 800 voices will furnish music. Tickets may be obtained from local pastors or at headquarters, 541 Lexington Avenue.

Carlsbad in Central Park.

The mineral water pavilion, which Carl H. Schultz established north of the baseball green on the Seventy-second Street transverse road in Central Park in 1867, will be opened next Wednesday for the forty-second season. As a special inducement to women who might find it difficult to reach the pavilion earlier, Vichy, Ems, Marienbad, Double and Quadruple Carlsbad will be served hot until 10 o'clock each morning. Natural mineral waters will be served on request as well as artificial waters from the Schultz laboratory.

Joseph C. Cowen Coming Here.

Joseph C. Cowen, one of the most prominent Jews in England, will arrive here on the Mauretania next Friday on a visit to the Jewish communities of this country, whom he will address on topics pertaining to his work in connection with the Zionist movement and other Jewish interests.

PLANS NEW TUNNEL UNDER EAST RIVER

Public Service Commission Takes Steps to Extend Bridge Loop to Brooklyn.

ROUTE NOT YET DECIDED

Under New Arrangement the Loop System Will Be Independent of Brooklyn Rapid Transit Co.

The Public Service Commission took action yesterday which will result in a material change in the plans for the subway loop between the East River bridges and make that system, a part of which is now being constructed, entirely independent both of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company's lines and the proposed Fourth Avenue Subway.

At its public meeting the commission put through a resolution to the effect that the chief engineer be instructed to report as soon as possible the most desirable route for the extension of the loop under the East River to Brooklyn. At the same time a resolution was passed instructing the engineer to prepare detailed plans for the Broadway (Brooklyn) part of the loop.

This constitutes the first step in making the loop system independent. It is proposed that trains that run on the loop shall cross the Williamsburg Bridge, run south through the portion of the loop now building to the neighborhood of Beekman Street, thence back to the river and under it by a tunnel. It is the tunnel project that is new. On the other side of the river the old loop plans will be followed substantially, and it will be possible to connect that line with the Fourth Avenue route, which will cross the East River by the new Manhattan Bridge should it be found desirable to do so.

A somewhat similar plan was devised by William Barclay Parsons when he was the engineer of the old Rapid Transit Board, but nothing was ever done with it. The construction of the tunnel will eliminate the necessity of using the Brooklyn Bridge as part of the system, and the effect will be to make the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company offer to use the tunnel if it wants to get any part of the route, thus establishing another route to Brooklyn in addition to the bridges. Under the old plans the loop could be operated by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit, but not very successfully by any other bidder.

At the meeting of the Board of Estimate yesterday the subway matter came up in a peculiar manner. Controller Metz sent a communication to the Mayor advising, in view of the city's financial condition, that the construction of the Brooklyn end of the loop system be undertaken before any other subways so that the portion now being built, and representing an outlay of about $9,000,000, might not be idle. The effect of Mr. Metz's plan would be to hold up both the Fourth Avenue Subway and the Broadway-Lexington Avenue line planned for Manhattan. His letter was sent prior to the action of the Public Service Commission.

BROADWAY TRIPS TOO SHORT.

Public Service Board to Hear Arguments for Extending Subway Trains.

The Public Service Commission at its meeting yesterday set April 22 at 11 o'clock as a time for a hearing at which the Interborough Rapid Transit Company will be required to show cause why the local Broadway trains in the Subway should not be sent right through to Dyckman Street instead of only to 137th Street and the express trains which now stop at Dyckman Street should not be operated to Kingsbridge.

Commissioner Eustis was responsible for the issuance of the "show cause" order, after complaint had been made by the Washington Heights Tax Payers' Association against the service on the upper end of the line.

DEFECTIVES CELEBRATE.

Glimpse of an Easter Festival in a Class for the Unfortunate.

Room 501, which is the class of mental and physical defectives in Public School 1, at Oliver and Henry Streets, held an Easter luncheon, with an exhibition of its work, yesterday. The classroom was lined and decorated with the products of student-skill. On the walls were little water-colors of fruits and flowers, "cut-and-pasting" posters of all descriptions. In one corner was a cabinet filled with the pupils' woodwork, bookshelves, plate racks, and brackets, all made by hand.

By each of the three windows stands a wonderful "farm," about 2 feet by 4, carefully surrounded by a miniature picket fence, thus utilizing the whittling lessons of the class. On these farms real grass is growing, daily watered and tended with great devotion. In the centre of one is a two-story shingled farmhouse, made by one of the boys, even down to the sets of tiny furniture in each room. Another farm boasts a rabbit hutch, in the door of which sits a contemplative brown bunny. The third is graced by a small toy horse cropping the precious verdure.

It is almost impossible to believe that this is the work of the mentally deficient. There were no visible signs yesterday of the little crooks and twists in the brain which make these twenty-odd boys a class by themselves. They were all gathered at the back of the room intent on dyeing a large kettle of eggs for Easter, a process which none of them had ever seen before, and they crowded excitedly around "teacher."

"Teacher" is Miss Harriet Page Wier. She was kept busy fishing the eggs from the dye cups and placing them in a basket. "Now, who wants to give up one of his eggs for Mr. Veit's little girl?" Mr. Veit is the principal of the school, very popular among the children. A dozen grimy hands waved frantic assent to the suggestion.

"Here, son," this to a bright-faced little chap, "you take this basket down to Mr. Veit and tell him that Miss Wier's boys want him to take one of their eggs to his little girl. Now, what are you going to say to him?"

As the little fellow stumbled over his message it was realized for the first time that the makers of the little farms weren't quite mentally sound.

The luncheon was served in the gymnasium. Food is provided three times weekly by the Board of Education and cooked by the girls in the domestic science classes in the school. The "extras" for the feasts held at Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter are provided by some one interested in the children. Serving is done from both ends, and the boys politely, though somewhat reluctantly, wait for all to be "helped," and no one attempts to leave the table without saying: "Please excuse me, Miss Wier."

While all were busy, Miss Wier found time to tell a TIMES reporter something of the history of her pupils.

"Every one of them was a confirmed truant, and several have already served some time in the reformatory," she said. "All of them are called incorrigible at home, because their parents don't know what to do with them, but I have never had the least difficulty with them. One day, when I scolded one of the big boys, he squared off to hit me. Then the 'worst case' sprang up:

"'If you touch my teacher I'll bust yer head, I will,' he said."

The secret of controlling them, according to Miss Wier, is to make the work interesting, and to love them, each and every child. Proof of its success was plainly to be seen.

Most of the children are victims of heredity; others of overstrung nerves aided by underfeeding. "They are kicked around and abused at home, where they become incorrigible," said Miss Wier. "Here, at least, we can prevent that becoming beggars and street tramps."

MISS FRENCH NAMES HER BRIDESMAIDS

Details Arranged for the Wedding at Newport on May 5.

OTHER WEDDING PLANS

Two Successful Spring Fairs for Children Charities Given Here Yesterday.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., April 10.—The wedding party for the marriage of Miss Pauline Le Roy French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Amos Tuck French, to Samuel Wagstaff, which is set for May 5 in St. John's Church, with the Rev. Charles F. Beattie officiating, has been completed.

The maid of honor will be Miss Edith Kane of Tuxedo, and the eight bridesmaids will be the Misses Irene Sherman, Eleanor Mortimer, Gladys Pell, Marion Clark, Caroline Grosvenor, Dorothy Kane, Lisa Cutting, and Margaret Steward.

The bridegroom will have his brother, George Wagstaff, for best man, and the seven ushers will be Francis O. French, brother of the bride; Taylor Pyne, Albert Hoffman, Warren Robbins, James Park, Griswold Lorillard, and Clarence Pell.

The reception and wedding breakfast will be held at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. F. O. French. The wedding and reception will both be largely attended.

To-morrow evening Commander and Mrs. William F. Fullam entertain at dinner at the Training Station for Commander Gleaves.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel are at the Muenchinger-King cottage for a few days to visit their sons, Masters Gordon and Jack, who are attending the Cloyne School here.

WEDDING PLANS.

Shepard-Rees and Reeves-Oltrogge Bridal Attendants Chosen.

Augustus Dennis Shepard, Jr., and Miss Elizabeth Baxter Rees, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Rees, who are to be married at All Souls Church, Biltmore, N. C., on April 23, have chosen their attendants. The bride will have Miss Rita Rees as her maid of honor and her other attendants will be Mrs. Osborn W. Bright of New York and Miss Edith H. Smalley of Netherwood, N. J.

The bridegroom's best man will be his brother, Burritt H. Shepard, and the ushers will be Rutherford M. Shepard, Osborn W. Bright, David H. Morris, Col. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, Col. John N. Stearns, Jr., Major Alfred R. Whitney, Jr., Henry S. Thompson of New York, and Harald B. Rees of Biltmore, N. C.

A special train will take the bridal party and guests from New York to Biltmore on April 17. Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt will give a ball for the bridal party soon after their arrival.

Mr. Shepard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Shepard of The Gables, Fanwood, N. J.

Edward Duer Reeves and Miss Beatrice Oltrogge, whose marriage will take place in the Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas on Easter Monday, have chosen their bridal attendants.

Miss Madeline Wright of New York and Miss Helen Bruff of Brooklyn will be bridesmaids, and Miss Rosa Valentine the flower girl. Burnett Valentine of Brooklyn will be the page.

Robert F. Lanier will be the best man, and the ushers will be Alexander V. Blake, Rowland Stebbins, Charles M. Remsen, Edward M. L'Engle, Edgworth Smith, and Peter Jenniss.

Mr. Reeves will give his farewell bachelor dinner Saturday night at the St. Nicholas Club.

HUTCHINSON—LANG.

The wedding of Miss Mabel Florence Lang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren Lang of the Hendrik Hudson, and Guy Hutchinson, younger son of J. L. Hutchinson of Englewood, N. J., will be celebrated at 8 o'clock in the evening of June 2 in the Church of the Epiphany, Thirty-fifth Street and Lexington Avenue.

The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Coralie Estelle Lang, as maid of honor, and two of the bridesmaids will be Miss Edith Hutchinson, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Grace King.

Mr. Hutchinson was the Yale football quarter back in 1906.

A reception will be held after the wedding at the Waldorf-Astoria for relatives and intimate friends of the bridal pair.

FAIR FOR BABIES NETS $2,100.

Successful Function Held at Home of Mrs. Charles B. Alexander.

The fair and sale for the benefit of the Country Home for Convalescent Babies at Sea Cliff, L. I., held yesterday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, netted $2,100 for the charity. The fair was held in the ballroom of Mrs. Alexander's home, which she lent for the occasion. One of the novelties of the fair was a large white goose mounted on a pedestal in the ballroom and decorated with tiny yellow Easter chicks.

At the flower booth were the Misses Elizabeth Bertron, Helen Lispenard Alexandre, Frances Dickey, Anzonella Kane, and Rosina Hoyt Otis. Miss Constable told fortunes in a special flower booth. Mrs. William J. Schieffelin and the Misses Margaret Schieffelin and Mary Jay Schieffelin had charge of the toy bazaar, and at the table of useful articles were Mrs. Walter Damrosch and Mrs. William K. Hoyt.

Mrs. John E. Roosevelt and the Misses Gladys Roosevelt, Jean Roosevelt, and Olga Roosevelt, Mrs. Bayard Cutting, and Mrs. Archibald Rogers presided at the table of fancy articles. At the candy and bonbon table were Mrs. Charles Dickey and Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. Henry A. Alexander had charge of the millinery booth, assisted by Mrs. Wagstaff, Miss Janetta Alexander, and Miss Jennie Crocker.

Mrs. Seth Barton French, assisted by the Misses Mercer French and Clarise French, disposed of Mexican novelties Mrs. Henry Parish, Jr., poured tea, and Katherine Tilford presided over the grab bag.

During the afternoon the visitors were entertained by silhouettes executed by Miss Wood.

EASTER SALE FOR DAY HOME.

Several Hundred Dollars Netted at Entertainment for Cripples.

Several hundred dollars were netted at an Easter sale and fair given for the benefit of the Day Home and School for Crippled Children, 2,111 Madison Avenue, which was held yesterday afternoon in the ballroom of the St. Regis. Mrs. Jesse Merrick Smith, President of the home, arranged the fair, assisted by a large committee.

Among those at the various booths and tables were Mrs. A. L. Platt, Mrs. L. A. Bevin, Miss Toel, Mrs. A. Kimball, Mrs. M. Manges, Mrs. Charles Hirschorn, Mrs. M. E. Oppenheimer, Miss Peyser, and others.

The proceeds of the fair are to go to the fund to enable the Board of Managers to take the forty patients of the school to Barlow-on-the-Sound for the Summer.

Social Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. August Heckscher, Miss Antoinette Heckscher, and Miss Alice Anderton, who are on the Riviera, will return to this country about June 1.

Mrs. Augustus H. Goodwin of New York, who has taken one of the Vanderbilt cottages at Biltmore, has as her guest Miss Hughes of Macon, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mackay will open Harbor Hill, their Roslyn (L. I.) country place, on April 15.

G. Warde Traver will give a musicale and exhibition of his recent paintings this afternoon at the Central Park Studios, 15 West Sixty-seventh Street.

The wedding of John Swift Holbrook, son of Edward Holbrook, and Miss Grace Morgan Sinclair, daughter of John J. Sinclair, will take place at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride, 6 East Sixty-third Street.

Dr. William B. Savage and Miss Adele L. Ingersoll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ely Ingersoll of 43 West Thirty-seventh Street, will be married this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

The Directors of the Symphony Society of New York will give a large reception to their friends this afternoon at the Plaza. The musical programme has been arranged by Walter Damrosch.

Among those who have taken boxes and seats for the Paderewski recital on April 29 at the Plaza are Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Henry Clews, Mrs. W. Bayard Cutting, Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, Mrs. Reginald Ronalds, Mrs. J. West Roosevelt, and Mrs. George C. Frelinghuysen.

Mrs. Benjamin Wood has returned to the Gotham after a month's visit in Havana and Santiago, Cuba.

Clarence Blair Mitchell of Bernardsville, N. J., is at the Gotham.

Mlle. Marcel Saint Gentz of Brussells, who arrived at the Gotham on Thursday, will spend several days in New York before visiting friends in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reed of Plainfield, N. J., are at the St. Regis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dick, who have been at the St. Regis for several days, returned yesterday to Chicago.

A reception will be held to-day from 3 to 6 o'clock at the Nassau Hospital in Long Island for the committees appointed to represent each town in Nassau County to raise funds to place the hospital on a satisfactory financial basis.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Draz of 122 East Seventy-second Street gave a circus party at Madison Square Garden last evening. Among their guests were Miss Emily Draz, Miss Hazel Crawford, Miss Lillian Crail, Miss Margaret Runk, Miss Gertrude Cassebeer, Charles L. Draz, Rudolph Draz, Edwin Cassebeer, Herbert Steyn, and Carl Gantert.

Frederic Ashton de Peyster, whose marriage to Miss Alice Abercrombie Miller will take place at Lakewood, N. J., on April 21, will give his bachelor dinner to-night at the Union Club.

FOOD.

LOST $300

Buying Medicine when Right Food was Needed.

Money spent for "tonics" and "bracers" to relieve indigestion, while the poor old stomach is loaded with pastry and pork, is worse than losing a pocketbook containing the money.

If the money only is lost it's bad enough, but with lost health from wrong eating, it is hard to make the money back.

A Mich. young lady lost money on drugs, but is thankful she found a way to get back her health by proper food. She writes:—

"I had been a victim of nervous dyspepsia for six years and spent three hundred dollars for treatment in the attempt to get well. None of it did me any good.

"Finally I tried Grape-Nuts food, and the results were such that, if it cost a dollar a package, I would not be without it. My trouble had been caused by eating rich food, such as pastry and pork.

"The most wonderful thing that ever happened to me, I am sure, was the change in my condition after I began to eat Grape-Nuts. I began to improve at once, and the first week gained four pounds.

"I feel that I cannot express myself in terms that are worthy of the benefit Grape-Nuts has brought to me, and you are perfectly free to publish this letter if it will send some poor sufferer relief, such as has come to me.",

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

OCEAN TRAVELERS.

Many Tourists Sail for Europe To-day —African Bishop Arrives.

Outgoing to-day on the Cunarder Umbria for Liverpool are:

H. E. Armstrong, E. S. Bell, A. J. Brice, G. C. Connor, J. W. Dawson, W. L. Eaton, L. S. MacPhail, F. O. Mittag, J. W. Niglis, J. P. Northey, T. E. Northey, H. N. Pochin, Capt. L. H. Porter, and James Swanson.

The Friedrich der Grosse of the North German Lloyd Line will sail for Naples with the following passengers:

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bradley, Mrs. A. J. Crawford, Loyall Farragut, Baron Carl Giskra, Austrian Minister to Washington; Dr. Joel Charles Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Livingston, Mrs. Samuel McClure, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Murphy, Mrs. John C. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Raymond, Mrs. Edward Lyman Short, Mrs. William A. Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Egerton Webb.

Booked to sail on the Anchor liner Columbia are:

John H. Adams, George Allan, Gustav Herman, James Neilson, John L. Pullman, and Sinton Pedloe.

The American liner St. Paul will sail for Southampton with the following:

Mrs. Lindon Bates, Amaldo Conti, Alfred H. Diver, Ronald Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington Mann, Capt. L. W. Turney, and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Whyte.

Voyagers on the Red Star liner Finland for Antwerp are:

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd, J. G. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Johnson, Mrs. T. C. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Strong, and Miss Clara Weber.

The Atlantic transport liner Mesaba will sail for London, and among her passengers are:

Mrs. C. N. Bell, Miss A. M. Brown, M. D.; Miss Blanche Bates, Charles E. Dawson, Cuthbert T. Edwardes, Lewis K. Garner, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Morton, and E. Howard Richardson.

The Right Rev. Isaiah B. Scott of Liberia, one of the Methodist Episcopal Bishops for Africa, arrived here yesterday on the Lusitania. He leaves New York to-morrow to rejoin his family in Nashville, Tenn.

LADY HERBERT HERE; HER FATHER VERY ILL

Condition of R. T. Wilson's Health Brings Her and Her Sister, Mrs. Ogden Goelet.

LUSITANIA'S PASSENGERS

Manchester Committee to Inspect Our Libraries—Ship's Designer Aboard—Young American Stowaway's Plight.

Many notables arrived yesterday from England in the big turbiner Lusitania of the Cunard Line. The vessel made the trip from Daunt's Rock to Sandy Hook in exactly 5 days and at an average speed of 24.08 knots.

Lady Michael Henry Herbert, with her two sons, Sidney and Michael, and her sister, Mrs. Ogden Goelet, were aboard. They had been summoned here because of the illness of their father, R. T. Wilson. They were met on the pier by their sister, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, and hurried at once to the Wilson home, at 511 Fifth Avenue.

T. C. Abbott, counselor of Manchester; Henry Plummer, Alderman, and C. W. Sutton, the chief librarian of that city, who come here to study American library buildings and systems, were also on the Lusitania.

"We will remain on this side six weeks," said Mr. Abbott. "We will visit New York, Providence, Boston, Washington, and some of the smaller cities. Then we will return and inspect libraries of Europe. The reason for this visit is that we are to build at Manchester the finest library in the world, and so we want the best features of every building and every system."

"Billy" Neill, manager for "Tommy" Burns, the fighter, who is now in England, returned. He is here, he said, to take up the offer of Jack Johnson, the colored pugilist, and will, he said, meet the deposit of $2,500 made by Johnson. If he finds Burns and the colored fighter have a chance of coming together he will go Johnson one better and put up $5,000 to bind the match.

An American citizen who went broke seeing England returned on the Lusitania as a stowaway. He was found by the officers the second day out, and because of his ready wit and agreeable manners he had the run of the second cabin. The young fellow said he was Charles Davis, and that he went abroad with a Boston sugar merchant in October as a chauffeur. Davis had difficulty in proving his citizenship to the Immigration officials. Finally a silver watch and a fountain pen of American make were taken as evidence that he was a native and he was permitted to land.

Other travelers on the Lusitania were Sir William H. White, the English ship designer, who drew the plans for the Lusitania and Mauretania; H. Bennicks and Porthos C. Wistrand, who are on a mission to Washington for the Swedish Government; Miss C. W. Biddle, Sir James Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ogden, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowenfeld.

Since her last arrival here the Lusitania has been in dry dock. She broke two of her starboard propeller blades by jamming against a stone bulkhead while going alongside the landing stage at Liverpool. The accident was caused by the high wind.

OVATION FOR MME. GADSKI.

Prima Donna Had Practically to Repeat Programme at Song Recital.

There were nineteen songs announced on the programme of Mme. Gadski's song recital yesterday at Carnegie Hall. Before the soprano had finished just nineteen more, counting the songs that were repeated, were added.

The programme was not general in scope, but was made up almost entirely of German lieder, and almost all of these were very familiar songs. After the second group three ushers bearing roses rushed down three separate aisles and laid their trophies in the arms of the singer and her accompanist, who gathered them up and decorated the top of the piano with them.

After the last number the usual crowd gathered at the front and applauded rapturously, while Mme. Gadski sang "A Maid Sings Light," "The Year's at the Spring," (twice,) and two other songs. And there was an operatic outburst of enthusiasm, which included cries of "Bravo, Gadski!" when the singer added the "Cry of the Walküren," which had to be sung four times before the audience—what remained of it—was satisfield.

After the first Schubert group, which included "Frühlingsglaube," "Die Forelle," and four other songs, Mme. Gadski added "Der Erlkönig." After the second group she added Schumann's "Widmung" and Schubert's "Hark, Hark, the Lark"; Schubert's "Auf der Wasser zu Singen," Schumann's "Marienwürmchen," Brahms's "Wiegenlied," Grieg's "Im Kahn," La Forge's "Schlupfwinkel," and "How Much I Love You," which were repeated, the latter twice.

Mme. Gadski was in good voice and sang with charm, and Mr. La Forge played very excellent accompaniments.

SEMBRICH CONCERT MAY 2.

Paderewski and Adamowski Will Play Original Compositions Also.

Mme. Sembrich and Messrs. Paderewski and Adamowski are to give a concert together at Carnegie Hall on the afternoon of May 2 for the benefit of the Legal Aid Society. Mr. Paderewski is to play his own "Theme and Variations," Opus 23, the piano part of an air from Mozart's "Il Re Pastore," which Mme. Sembrich will sing with violin obligato by Mr. Adamowski; five Chopin numbers, and the accompaniments to five of his own songs which Mme. Sembrich will sing.

Mme. Sembrich will also sing an air from Moniusczko's opera, "Halka"; Brahms's "Wie Melodien Zieht es Mir," Schubert's "Hark, Hark, the Lark," Weber's "Unbefangenheit," Schumann's "Nussbaum," and Loewe's "Niemand hat's geseh'n."

Mr. Adamowski will play a "Melodie" by Paderewski and his own "Air de ballet."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The Shuberts announced yesterday that Julia Marlowe will open a season in repertoire at the Lyric Theatre beginning on Monday, April 27, following the engagement of Mr. Sothern.

The full cast of "The Wolf," the new play by Eugene Walter which comes to the Bijou a week from to-day, will include William Courtenay, Ida Conquest, Walter Hale, Sheridan Block, Thomas Findlay, and George Probert.

One hundred members of the Lawyers' Club will attend the matinee this afternoon at the Herald Square Theatre, where Lew Fields is appearing in "The Girl Behind the Counter."

Henry Norman, recently seen as Squire Western in "Tom Jones," has been engaged to support Edward Vroom in his comedy, "The Luck of MacGregor," opening at the Garden Theatre on April 20.

E. H. Sothern has considerably shortened the production of "Don Quixote" since the opening on Wednesday night. The performance now closes half an hour sooner than at the opening.

WARFIELD TO CLOSE MAY 2.

Actor and Mr. Belasco Prepare for a London Season.

David Belasco announced last night that David Warfield will close his engagement of eight months at the Stuyvesant Theatre at the end of three more weeks and will sail for London a few days later.

"The Warrens of Virginia," with Charlotte Walker and Frank Keenan, will then be transferred from the Belasco to the Stuyvesant, opening at the latter house on May 4, and will continue there, with the usual lapse of some eight weeks in the Summer, until time for Mr. Belasco's annual Fall production. It has already been announced that Mrs. Fiske will appear at the Belasco in the Autumn.

Mr. Warfield's departure for Europe will be on May 14.

It was learned yesterday that Blanche Bates has booked passage for London on the American Transport liner Mesaba, sailing on Saturday, though she has not yet made the promised definite announcement of her plans for next season.

Dressler Contract by Wireless.

When Marie Dressler arrived yesterday on the Lusitania, fresh from her engagements in England, she was already under contract to play in Percy G. Williams's New York vaudeville houses for the four weeks of her brief visit to this country. The contract was made by wireless telegraph, after Miss Dressler had sailed from London, and is said to be the first theatrical contract ever concluded in this way.

Springer Plans New Theatres.

John H. Springer of the Grand Opera House announced yesterday that his tenancy of the house does not expire until September, 1910, instead of in May of that year, as published yesterday in connection with the announcement of the new lease by Cohan & Harris. Mr. Springer does not feel that he has been justly treated by the Gould estate. He asserts he has spent $35,000 in improvements to the house. Mr. Springer says he is planning to build two new theatres.

Grand Opera at the West End.

The Helen Noldi Opera Company will open its season at the West End Theatre on April 27 with a performance of "Il Trovatore."

DEATH LIST OF A DAY.

Mrs. Anna O'Brien.

Mrs. Anna O'Brien, mother of John H. O'Brien, Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas, and Electricity, and the Mayor's Secretary, Frank O'Brien, died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning at her home, 128 West Ninety-fifth Street. She had been ill ever since the death, about a year ago, of her oldest son, Thomas. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

J. Benedict See.

J. Benedict See, a personal friend of John D. Rockefeller, and for forty-three years town clerk of Mount Pleasant, died yesterday at his home, which is near the entrance to Rockefeller's estate at Tarrytown. He was 75 years old. He was first elected town clerk in 1863, and was reelected every year after that until 1906. A few years ago when Mr. Rockefeller was contesting his assessment tax in Mount Pleasant Mr See was in charge of the books. He was for half a century a member of the Old Dutch Church in Sleepy Hollow. He leaves a large estate.

Alfred Bradley.

Alfred Bradley, for several years representative for Wagenhals & Kemper, the theatrical managers and lessees of the Astor Theatre, died yesterday at Dr. Bull's Sanitarium. Death was due to heart disease, following an operation for intestinal adhesions. The operation, which was performed on Thursday, was the fourth he had undergone.

He leaves a widow and two children. He was a member both of the Lambs and the Friars. The funeral will be held from him home at Port Washington, L. I.

Obituary Notes.

Miss KATHERINE BENTON, who was for more than ten years a teacher in Public School 21, Jersey City, died at her home in that city yesterday of pneumonia. She was a sister of Vice Principal Benton of the same school.

Col. ANDREW R. BLAKELY, proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel, and one of the most prominent men in the country, died at New Orleans yesterday.

Dr. GEORGE W. GRIFFITHS, for forty years a physician of Louisville, Ky., died in that city yesterday. He was chief surgeon of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, and Trustee of the University of Louisville. He was 50 years old.

SAMUEL TOOKER, one of the oldest residents of Orange County, died at his residence in Middletown, N. Y., yesterday of old age. He was 83 years old.

T. C. PECK, Sr., died in Los Angeles yesterday. He was born in Philadelphia in 1820, and for many years was engaged in manufacturing at Indianapolis.

CONTEMPORARY ART IN TO-MORROW'S TIMES.

An epoch making picture is the flashlight photograph taken at the Waldorf-Astoria of the dinner in honor of Mrs. Humphry Ward. No less than 400 portraits of the best known people in New York figure in a most graphic presentation

The latest fashions in ladies' head gear, the route through snow-bound deserts by the auto racers to Paris, pictures of famous actresses in to-morrow's Times. Order to-day. The Sunday Times is sold out a few hours after publication.—Adv.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Tompkins & Tompkins, Counselors-at-Law, 156 Fifth Avenue. Wills, Probate of Wills.

Engaged.

WASHBURN—COLGATE.—Mrs. Edward J. Hall of 362 Riverside Drive announces the engagement of her daughter, Mrs. Edith Hall Colgate, to the Rev. Henry Washburn of Worcester, Mass.

Married.

HILL—BLECH.—On April 8, at South Orange, N. J., Anna F. Blech to David W. Hill.

HOOLEY—HOLT.—On April 5, at Newark, N. J., Elsie Holt to Frank Hooley.

WEINBERG—SCHUBART.—On April 9, Louise B. Schubart to Alexander Weinberg.

Died.

AVERY.—On Friday, April 9, 1908, Stephen Avery, in his 54th year. Funeral from his late residence, 140 West 130th St., Saturday, 8 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment Hudson, N. Y. Train leaves 125th St. Station 8:05 A. M. Sunday.

BELL.—At Saranac Lake, N. Y., Friday, April 10, 1908, Robert W. Bell, Jr., only son of R. Walter and the late Christine K. Bell, aged 27 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

CHAMBERLAIN.—A service in memory of the Rev. Jacob Chamberlain, M. D., D. D., LL. D., for 49 years a missionary of the Reformed Church, who died in India March 2, will be held in the Marble Collegiate Church, 5th Av. and 29th St., on Monday, April 13, at 8 o'clock.

DEMAREST.—At Tenafly, N. J., on Friday, April 10, 1908, Rachel Ann, widow of the late John A. Demarest, in the 70th year of her age. Funeral services at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Louis E. Tuttle, Tenafly, N. J., on Monday, April 13, at 2:30 P. M. Train leaves Jersey City, Northern Railroad, at 1:34 P. M.

FAIRBANKS.—April 10, 1,823 Franklin Av., Mary E. Fairbanks, eldest daughter of late Lucy W. and R. G. Fairbanks. Funeral April 13, 2 P. M.

GRIMM.—Frederick W., son of the late Rev. Christian F. and Caroline C. Grimm, Friday, 8 A. M. Service at 232 Prospect Av., Mount Vernon, N. Y., Sunday at 2:30. Take N. Y., N. H. & H. train at Grand Central at 2:30. Interment private.

HOPPER.—On Tuesday, April 7, 1908, at her residence, Madeleine Inslee, daughter of Mary Caroline and the late Inslee A. Hopper. Funeral services will be held at 126 Harrison St., East Orange, N. J., on Saturday, April 11, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, N. J.

KEEP.—April 9, 1908, at the residence of her parents, 680 West End Av., Gertrude Marion, wife of Oliver H. Keep, Jr., and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walther Luttgen. Services at above residence Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment private. London and Berlin papers please copy.

MAUSER.—April 10, 1908, Frank Mauser, aged 63 years. Body lying at the funeral chapel, 241-3 W. 23d St., (Frank E. Campbell Building.) Notice of funeral hereafter.

OBRIEN.—On Friday, April 10, at her late home, 128 West 95th St., Anna Cryan Obrien, relict of the late Michael Obrien and mother of John H., Frank M., and Mary B., and the late Thomas G. Obrien. Requiem mass at the Church of the Holy Name, Amsterdam Av. and 96th St., Monday, April 13, at 10 A. M. Interment at Buffalo, N. Y.

PELL.—Thursday, April 9, 1908, after a long illness, John Bogert Pell, husband of Julia Andrews Black and son of the late William Watson and Maria Antoinette Pell. Services at his late residence, 323 West 103d St., Monday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock. Interment Oaklawn Cemetery, Southport, Conn., on arrival of the train leaving New York 10:05 A. M., Tuesday, April 14.

PETRIE.—Entered into rest April 10, 1908, Catherine Leslie, widow of Jonathan Petrie, in the 77th year of her age. Funeral service at her late residence, 111 East 30th St. Notice of time hereafter. Kindly omit flowers.

REA.—On April 8, 1908, George Black, son of Mary Black and Samuel Rea, in the 28th year of his age. Funeral services Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at late residence, Valley Road, Ardmore, Penn. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

SCHOLLE.—On Friday, April 10, Samuel, beloved husband of Estelle Content Scholle, in the 55th year of his age. Funeral at the convenience of the family.

SWIMM.—On Friday, April 10, Martha L., widow of the late Theodore W. Swimm. Funeral services at her late residence, 596 Jefferson Av., Brooklyn, on Sunday, April 12, at 3 P. M.

WARD.—Elizabeth, relict of the late William "Put" Ward, Friday, April 10, 1908, 5:45 P. M., in the 81st year of her age, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Nelson, 922 Summit Av., Price Hill, Cincinnati. Due notice of funeral will be given.

WASSERMANN.—Friday evening, April 10, Emma, the beloved wife of Edward Wassermann and daughter of Henriette and the late Jesse Seligman. Funeral services at Temple Emanu-El on Sunday, April 12, at 9 A. M. European papers please copy.

TEMPLE EMANU-EL.—The members of the congregation are respectfully requested to attend the funeral of the late Emma Wassermann, which will be held at the Temple on Sunday morning, April 12, at 9 o'clock.
JAMES SELIGMAN, President.

CRANE.—The Society of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick in the City of New York announce the death of John Crane, at his residence, 307 West 103d St., New York City. Members are respectfully requested to attend the funeral services to be held at the Church of the Ascension, 107th St., near Broadway, on Saturday, April 11, 1908, at 10 A. M.
STEPHEN FARRELLY, President.
WARREN LESLIE, Secretary.

ASCH.—At 87 Wyckoff St., Brooklyn, Raphael Asch.

BARRY.—At 526 East 88th St., April 8, Bella J. Barry. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

BECK.—At Pamrapo Av., Jersey City, April 9, John E. Beck. Funeral to-morrow.

BELLIS.—At Kearny, N. J., April 8, Gabriel H. Bellis, aged 75.

BLAKE.—At 300 Lincoln Road, Brooklyn, April 9, Mary A. Blake. Funeral to-day.

BRIEN.—At 828 Putnam Av., April 8, John D. Brien.

BRUNNER.—At 825 Vesta Av., Brooklyn, April 8, Charles Brunner. Funeral to-day.

BURGMEYER.—At 485 Passaic Av., Newark, N. J., April 9, Mathias Burgmeyer, aged 56.

CANAVAN.—At 526 1st Av., April 7, Thomas Canavan, aged 19. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

CASEY.—At 403 West 18th St., April 9, Katharine M. Casey. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

CENTLIVRE.—At 213 East 70th St., April 9, Joseph Centlivre, aged 70.

CLEARY.—At 123 Newark St., N. J., April 8, Patrick Cleary. Funeral to-day.

COLLINS.—At Dongan Hills, S. I., April 9, Catherine D. Collins. Funeral to-day.

CONROY.—At 533 East 83d St., April 9, Michael Conroy.

COWLEY.—At 409 West 53d St., April 9, Bessie Cowley. Funeral April 13, 10 A. M.

CULLEN.—At 847 2d Av., April 9, Patrick Cullen.

DAILY.—At Rowland St., Westchester, April 9, Daniel Daily. Funeral to-day.

DANGLOWITZ.—At 845 Littleton Av., Newark, N. J., April 8, Henry W. Danglowitz.

DESMOND.—At 424 East 17th St., April 8, John Desmond.

DUNCAN.—At 248 West 20th St., April 8, Thomas J. Duncan. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

ENGEL.—At 2,184 2d Av., April 8, Elizabeth Engel, aged 15. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

FARLEY.—At 130 East 4th St., April 8, Bridget Farley. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

FERRIS.—At Ferris Place, Westchester, April 9, Capt. Charles C. Ferris, aged 75. Funeral to-day.

FINDON.—At 252 Clifton Av., Newark, N. J., April 8, Estella Findon, aged 4.

FITZPATRICK.—At 264 Camden St., Newark, N. J., April 9, Mary Fitzpatrick.

FURMAN.—At Oakland Av., Warwick, N. Y., Nicholas L. Furman, aged 73.

GRIFFIN.—At 313 9th St., Jersey City, April 8, Ann Griffin. Funeral to-day.

HAMES.—At 594 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, April 9, J. B. Hames.

HAMLIN.—At 411 West 145th St., Mary E. Hamlin, aged 66.

HEALY.—At 498 3d Av., Brooklyn, April 9, William Healy.

HEPBURN.—At 129 East 126th St., April 9, Nathaniel Hepburn. Funeral notice later.

HERDLING.—At 814 President St., Brooklyn, April 10, Frank Herdling. Funeral to-morrow.

HULTS.—At 274 Chauncey Street, Brooklyn, George L. Hults, aged 24.

JENSEN.—At Flushing, L. I., April 9, Emma Jensen, aged 20.

KATSCH.—At 352 West 19th St., April 9, Ernestine H. Katsch. Interment private.

KRONMULLER.—At 236 South 2d St., Brooklyn, April 9, Jacob Kronmuller, aged 87.

LANDON.—At 436 East 84th St., April 7, Herman Landon.

LYNCH.—At 403 Enfield St., Brooklyn, April 9, Edward Lynch, aged 45. Funeral to-day.

MAHLON.—At 113A Pulaski St., Brooklyn, April 9, James W. Mahlon.

MILDE.—At 253 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, April 9, Mary E. Milde.

MORRISON.—At 9 South Munn St., East Orange, April 9, Alexander B. Morrison, aged 67.

MORTIMER.—At Jamesburg, N. J., April 9, Mary Jane Mortimer, aged 76.

O'BRIEN.—At 460 15th St., Brooklyn, April 10, Florence M. O'Brien.

O'DONNELL.—At 81 Tillary St., Brooklyn, April 7, John O'Donnell. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

O'DONNELL.—At 1,829 Gates Av., Brooklyn, April 9, Hugh O'Donnell. Funeral April 13.

PIER.—At 174 Kent St., Brooklyn, April 8, John Pier, aged 45.

REES.—At 25 Seidler St., Jersey City, April 8, Clara Rees.

RIDGELY.—At 266 Berkeley Place, Brooklyn, April 10, Bessie N. Ridgely. Funeral to-day.

RYAN.—At 61 West 100th St., April 9, Julia Ryan. Funeral notice later.

SEABURNS.—At 217 9th St., Jersey City, April 7, Robert Seaburns.

SHANNON.—At 384 1st Av., April 8, William Shannon. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

SISCO.—At Warwick, N. Y., April 7, Charles H. Sisco, aged 52.

SMITH.—At Arlington, N. J., April 8, Sophie D. Smith, aged 64. Funeral to-morrow, 3 P. M.

SULLIVAN.—At 266 Berry St., Brooklyn, April 9, Dora Sullivan. Funeral April 13.

SULLIVAN.—At 520 Central Av., Jersey City, Timothy W. Sullivan, aged 74.

TRAPP.—At Arlington, N. J., April 8, John A. Trapp, aged 4. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

TRILL.—At 22 Fleet Place, Brooklyn, April 8, Charlotte Trill, aged 54.

VERDIN.—At 70 Grand St., Jersey City, April 8, John Verdin.

WASHBURN.—At 22 West 83d St., April 9, Phoebe Jane Washburn, aged 65. Funeral to-day.

WEIGEL.—At Hempstead Road and Sherwood Av., Queens, L. I., April 9, Eva Weigel, aged 78.

In Memoriam.

CARLIN.—Mass for John Carlin at Church of the Sacred Heart to-day, 9 A. M.

KELLY.—Mass in memory of William H. Kelly at St. Theresa's Church, Brooklyn, to-day, 8 A. M.

O'NEILL.—Mass for Thomas O'Neill at Sacred Heart Church, Jersey City, to-day, 8 A. M.

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The Sunday Times

The Pictorial Section

The Pictorial Section of The Sunday Times will include a notable picture. This is a flashlight photograph of the four hundred men and women who attended the recent dinner given at the Waldorf-Astoria in honor of Mrs. Humphry Ward. In was one of the most interesting assemblages ever gathered for an occasion of this kind in New York. The picture obtained was remarkably successful, and in its reproduction, to which The Times will devote two full pages, the hundreds of faces are shown with all the distinctness that characterizes the original. It is a picture of uncommon interest. The Pictorial Section will also include many other attractive features. There will be a photograph, in large size, of the Duchess of Marlborough and Mrs. Clarence Mackay; a page portraying the remarkable millinery of the season, hats of wonderful proportions, with actual dimensions in inches given in each instance; photographs of the leader in the motor car race from New York to Paris overcoming difficulties in the West and showing the car's arrival at San Francisco; photographs recently taken of many of the prominent and popular women of the stage, and many other pictures of timeliness and wide variety.

An Early American Alliance with Royalty

The international discussion relating to the Duke of the Abruzzi and Miss Elkins has recalled an earlier alliance of an American girl with royalty. In The Sunday Times there will be told the nearly forgotten story of Prince Jerome Bonaparte and Miss Patterson of Baltimore. The article has been prepared for The Times by a writer with peculiar facilities for obtaining knowledge of the facts of this by-gone romance, and the article provides a fine picture of the famous Betsy Patterson.

What Has Been Done to Check Consumption

There are thirty thousand consumptives in New York City. For five years a systematic campaign against the "white plague" has been carried on under the supervision of the Charity Organization Society. The results of this great work will be told in an article of rare interest and value in The Sunday Times. No such systematic effort against tuberculosis has ever been undertaken in this country, and the conclusions reached are of great importance to this community.

Japan at the Parting of Political Ways

Another of the illuminating articles which Thomas F. Millard is sending to The Times from the East will be published in the edition of to-morrow. It will describe the political evolution now in progress in Japan. Mr. Millard goes right to the heart of things, and his picture of Japan's present conditions and her future prospects carries an unusual amount of information. His articles should be read by all who desire to know how matters are shaping in the East.

The Indiscretions of the Many-Sided Kaiser

The recent example of the ability of the German Emperor to do the wrong thing at the right time will probably stand for some time as one of the most notable in the long list of the indiscretions of that monarch, indiscretions which began at the age of five with a vigorous pulling of Bismarck's mustache. An article in The Sunday Times will review the career of the many-sided Kaiser in this respect. It will tell of many incidents that are full of interest.

The Fight to Maintain the Price of Diamonds

"Diamonds are at precisely the same price that they have been—try to buy some and see. And, also, they are going to stay there." This from a man speaking for the Diamond Trust. Inasmuch as the American market controls at least 85 per cent. of the diamonds, New York City has a distinct interest in the struggle between the two great companies of South Africa. An article in The Sunday Times will describe the controversy and its significance—an article full of interesting information.

Two Years Afterward in San Francisco

The coming week will bring the second anniversary of the disaster that visited San Francisco. An article of interest and value in The Sunday Times will tell what has been done in the city by the Golden Gate since that visitation. It is a story of splendid Americanism. There will be photographs accompanying the text carrying interesting stories of their own

Tolstoy's Views on the Education of Children

Tolstoy has recently written his beliefs regarding the education of children. That they would include some surprising opinions was to have been expected. An article in The Sunday Times will contain the article Tolstoy has written on this subject. It is an article of especial interest to parents and educators.

How Bombs Are Made in New York City

Where and how are bombs manufactured in New York City? The bomb thrower is the most difficult of all criminals to reach. An article in The Sunday Times will give much information regarding the difficulties the police have in tracing him out. The article will also tell how he gets his bombs.

The Sunday Times is always sold out early. Orders should always be placed with newsdealers in advance.

LATHAM WINS HARD GAME FROM STANDING

British Court Tennis Champion Defeats Club Professional, 8—6, 6—8, 8—6.

PLAYERS EVENLY MATCHED

Gould Favorite Over Miles for International Championship Match—Many Persons Interested.

Peter Latham, the English professional court tennis champion, yesterday defeated George Standing, champion of the United States, at the New York Racquet and Tennis Club, by 2 sets to 1, 8—6, 6—8, 8—6. It was the only professional court tennis match to be played in America this season, and as the two players are old court rivals a big gallery watched the game. It was an interesting exhibition, but rather lacking in brilliancy, as neither man was at his best. Latham's sprained arm gave him considerable bother, and Standing was not in good condition. In spite of these drawbacks, the contest bristled with splendid shots and well-sustained rallies. Both men played well for the winning openings and made a number of difficult chases.

Fourteen games were required for each set, a number of which went to deuce and vantage. The players alternated in the lead throughout, and so well matched were they that it was nearly dark when the match was brought to a close. Each set was long-drawn out, and the result in doubt up to the last game of the third set.

The challenge round for the international amateur championship will be decided this afternoon between Jay Gould, United States, the title holder, and Eustace H. Miles, England, the challenger. The match will be the best of three sets in five. Betting last night was 5 to 4 in favor of Gould.

ATHLETIC TROUBLE OVER.

M. A. L. Explains Appearance of Professionals and A. A. U. Relents.

As a result of the wholesale disqualification of the men who competed against professionals at the Military Athletic League handicap games last Wednesday night by the Amateur Athletic Union, the officials of the league went into conference yesterday, and among other things it was found that it was the desire of all the members of the Athletic Committee to stick to the Amateur Athletic Union and obey all its laws.

The officials of the Military Athletic League after their conference appointed a committee of three to take up the matter with President Sullivan of the Amateur Athletic Union, and after explanations had been given and accepted, the strain between the two organizations was eased up a trifle. The members of the Governing Committee of the Military Athletic League explained that it was their desire to live strictly up to all laws and rulings of the Amateur Athletic Union in accordance with the terms of alliance between the two bodies, and it was only because the matter of the entries was left in the hands of outsiders that the mistake happened. The two men who competed in the handicap games will be barred out of the championship events next week, and one of them who won a prize in the shot put will be made to return it, and his organization will lose the points he scored. One of the important decisions of yesterday as a result of the conference between the heads of the two bodies was that all the athletes who disqualified themselves by competing against the professionals Wednesday night will be reinstated without application, for the circumstances justify it in the opinion of the officials of the Metropolitan Association, and President Sullivan so recommended it yesterday to the Registration Committee.

SCHOOLBOYS AS MARKSMEN.

De Witt Clinton Ties with First Curtis Team and Beats Second.

At the De Witt Clinton ranges yesterday afternoon the first and second rifle teams of Curtis High School, the interscholastic champions of Greater New York, competed against the De Witt Clinton High School teams in two interesting matches. The first teams were tied with a score of 240 out of a possible 250 points, and Clinton's second team won by 225 to 214. The scores:

FIRST TEAMS.

DE WITT CLINTON.		CURTIS.	
S. Hubbard	46	Davidson	49
M. Frachtman	48	Levinson	47
C. Brown	49	Reich	47
C. Leon	47	Wiechers	50
G. Hubbard	50	Garcia	47
Total	240	Total	240

SECOND TEAMS.

DE WITT CLINTON.		CURTIS.	
Emmerich	48	Iverson	42
Henle	45	Adamson	41
Winkler	44	Christensen	47
Finch	45	Brennan	39
Lenzer	43	Critchley	45
Total	225	Total	214

Red Fox Hides from Hounds.

Special to The New York Times.

MEADOW BROOK, L. I., April 10.—The Meadow Brook Hounds met this morning at Kirby Hill and followed a large red dog fox for about ten miles in a pouring rain. Owing to the damp condition of the ground the trail lay well, and the two dozen hounds kept the field jumping continually from the time the cover was drawn, near the meeting place. The scent was lost on the estate of R. N. Ellis, as the fox doubled on his trail, after which it was caught again, and the party experienced about seven miles of the fastest galloping they have known this Spring, part of which was through woodland, where jumping was dangerous, owing to low-hanging limbs and underbrush. Just as a kill seemed inevitable, reynard flaunted his brush in the faces of the leaders of the pack, darted under an old stone house, and was lost. Those who rode to the finish were Waldo Johnson, W. Burling Cocks, Henry Fletcher Godfrey, and Whips Hannon and Lambert.

A. A. U. Wrestling To-night.

The entry list for the National wrestling championships of the Amateur Athletic Union, which are to be held at the Madison Square Garden Concert Hall to-night and Monday, will include many college champions. The clubs of the associations of the A. A. U. have gathered their best representatives, and it is very likely that a strong entry will come from the Western organizations, as in past years. The college wrestling season has just closed and the collegians are all in excellent condition. The classes are 105, 115, 125, 135, 145, and 158 pounds and heavyweight.

Sousa as Scorer for Shooters.

Special to The New York Times.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., April 10.—Play in the golf tournament was postponed to-day because of heavy rain. The semi-finals will be played to-morrow. During a cessation of the downpour this afternoon the gun club attempted to hold a shoot. John Philip Sousa kept the scores, which were very low, and were attributed to the poor light. The best scores were made by Carl Wallen, C. C. Hall, Charles Summerville, and Joseph W. Robertson.

Catholic League Games To-night.

With an entry list such as even the greatest clubs in the country might well boast of, the St. Philip's Branch of the Catholic Athletic League will hold its annual indoor athletic games at the Twenty-second Regiment Armory, Sixty-eighth Street and Broadway, to-night. Amateur Athletic Union champions as well as prospective title holders, who are now receiving their training in the various clubs and parochial schools comprising the league, will be seen in competition, many of them for the last time this season on board floors.

Burns Ready to Meet Johnson.

Billy Neill, manager of Tommy Burns, the pugilist, who is at present in England, arrived in New York yesterday on the steamer Lusitania. Neill will try to arrange a match with Jack Johnson, and it is said he will cover Johnson's deposit of $2,500 with $2,500 additional. Burns has said he is willing to allow the money to remain in the hands of the stakeholder for from nine to twelve months in order to give Johnson an opportunity of arranging the contest. He demands $30,000 as his share of the prize money, no matter what the result of the battle, and would prefer a contest of forty-five rounds or to a finish, which [illegible] it to California or Nevada.

VIRGINIA DIVORCE INVALID.

Mrs. Ransom Married Again After Obtaining a Decree.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court yesterday affirmed the decision of Justice Dowling in a Special Term of the Supreme Court granting to Porte V. Ransom a decree of divorce from Mrs. George L. Browning of Madison, Va.

The case is one which has attracted attention throughout the United States, and the Appellate Division had to consider some novel questions. Mrs. Eva B. Hill Ransom left this city, where she had been living with Mr. Ransom, went to Virginia, and obtained a divorce in the Circuit Court of Virginia from Mr. Ransom. Five years after obtaining her decree of divorce she married George L. Browning, a prominent lawyer of Washington, D. C., and law partner of Representative James Hay of Virginia, who had been Mrs. Ransom's counsel.

On April 24, 1906, Porte V. Ransom began an action for divorce in the Supreme Court here because of her second marriage. Justice Dowling granted Mr. Ransom's decree, and his judgment was affirmed yesterday by the Appellate Division. The decree is based on lack of personal service. Mr. Ransom did not defend the Virginia action brought by his wife, as no service was made on him except by publication, under the Virginia statutes, and here lies the legal question which in all likelihood will take the case to the United States Supreme Court.

In his opinion affirming Justice Dowling's decision Justice Laughlin says in part:

"This unfortunate state of the law relating to divorces, by which a divorce is regarded as valid in one State and void in another, with all the deplorable consequences which shock the sensibilities of decent men and women, and bring untold disgrace and misery on their innocent offspring, may, I think, be ameliorated to some extent by the legislative and judicial departments of the respective State Governments without an amendment to the Federal Constitution, which is the only complete remedy for this crying evil and without abandoning their respective public policies to which they apparently jealously adhere. It is high time that a movement was instituted in the Legislatures or by the trial courts by which divorces shall not be granted excepting in those cases where the court can obtain such jurisdiction over the defendant that it must be recognized by every other State and Territory in the land."

WIFE SHOT, HUSBAND HELD.

Neighbors Tell Police They Heard Shooting and Saw Zeyer Run Away.

Mrs. Lucy Zeyer of 417 East Ninth Street is in Bellevue Hospital with two bullet wounds in her left side. It is said that she cannot live, and her husband, William Zeyer, who ran out of the house about noon yesterday, just after the neighbors heard two shots fired, was arrested last night and locked up in the Fifth Street Station, charged with the shooting.

Policemen found Mrs. Zeyer lying unconscious on the floor of her bedroom. Alexander Schwerin, who lives in the house, told the police that he caught Zeyer as he was rushing from the house, but was not able to hold him.

Zeyer was found last evening by Patrolman Charles Busse of the Union Market Station at the corner of Thirteenth Street and Avenue C. He was taken to the hospital and identified by Mrs. Zeyer as her husband, and also, according to the police, as the man who shot her. She said she hoped the law would take its course. The police say they found a 38-calibre revolver in Zeyer's pocket. He would make no statement when taken before his wife. He said he was 48 years old and had been employed as a porter in a Broadway department store.

The three daughters of the wounded woman, Lucy, Kate, and Emma, the police say, told them that their father became enraged yesterday morning when he learned that the two oldest girls had lost their positions, and finally said, "I'll settle the matter for good."

Their mother interfered, the girls said, and then their father turned on Mrs. Zeyer and shot her when she began to remonstrate with him.

A GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEME.

O'Connor and His Wife on Trial—Man Locked Up in Tombs.

Thomas O'Connor, who with his wife, known as "Frances McLean," is on trial before Judge Holt and a jury in the United States Circuit Court for jointly operating with her a Wall Street swindle, was surrendered at the close of yesterday's session of the trial by his bondsman and locked up in the Tombs.

Prior to the closing of the trial for the day Lawyer Hugh Gordon Miller brought out testimony at times that caused the jury to smile. Frank L. Adams, a real estate broker of Atlanta, Ga., told how he had sent $250 to the New York Telegraph Bureau, alleged by the prosecution to be identified with the defendants, to be used in the purchase of stocks, and said he understood that fifty shares of Amalgamated Copper had been bought for him. Mr. Adams admitted sadly that he had engaged in several stock deals and had always lost.

George W. Oster of Osterberg, Penn., said he didn't think he was a statesman, but admitted that he was a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature on whose stationery he had corresponded with the New York Telegraph Bureau. After losing $50 and being asked for $50 more margin, Mr. Oster wrote to demand his original $50 back.

Horace E. Chapin, elderly, of military bearing, and wearing a flowing white mustache, said he was at present Secretary and Treasurer of a mining company in Denver, but had once been a stock broker. He had sent $100 to the brokerage firm of J. W. Evans & Co., alleged by the prosecution to be another branch of the defendant's business, and when a wire came for more money he closed out his account, he said.

SECURITIES AT AUCTION.

Large List, Held as Collateral, Offered by a Newark Trust Co.

Newark business men were surprised yesterday by an unexplained offer for sale at public auction of some of the choicest securities of that city's market. The sale was advertised by the Fidelity Trust Company to be held in the Directors' room of that corporation next Tuesday morning.

Most conspicuous of the collateral offered to the highest bidders are 2,445 96-100 shares of the Prudential Insurance Company. In addition to these are 300 shares of the Public Service Corporation, 25 shares of the Union National Bank, 40 shares of the Equitable Trust Company of New York, and $50,000 South Jersey Gas, Electric and Traction Company 5 per cent. gold bonds.

No intimation is given of the owner or owners of the property, but legal notices in connection with the sale made this statement:

The said property accompanies several promissory notes given to the subscriber, now matured and unpaid, and will be sold in pursuance of the agreements in the said several notes contained.

The market value of the securities offered at public sale on a basis of yesterday's quotations is $1,173,675.

Trades Want More Apprentices.

Some of the associations of employers in the shop trades, it was reported yesterday, are taking measures to counteract the limitation of apprentices by the unions, and are therefore extending the system of trade schools.

The National Metal Trades Association has appointed a committee to investigate the employment of apprentices.

Fischer-Hansen to be Tried in May.

The trial of Carl Fischer-Hansen, the lawyer indicted on the charge of extorting $15,000 from Joseph E. O'Brien of Philadelphia, was set down yesterday to begin on May 4 before Judge Malone in [illegible]

MILITARY GAMES TRY ROUGH RIDERS

Horsemen of National Guard Show Their Best in Durland Academy Games.

BIG CROWD SEES CONTESTS

Competitions Bring Out Best Horsemen of Cavalry Troops and Artillery Commands in the State.

The largest and best attendance in the history of the Academy gathered last night in the galleries of the Durland Riding School, where a special programme of events was put forward as a matter of interest to the military horsemen among the membership. The competitions through the evening were chiefly exhibitions, but they were all in the form of contests, and as such held interest from first to last.

The games started off in singular good order, with the result that the opening of the programme of military events was singularly impressive and proved a popular part of the programme arranged for the evening. The beginning of the entertainment was to the novelty of bugle calls.

The opening feature was a music ride, in which no decision was required, though it called for the most comprehensive exhibition of horsemanship of the evening. Following this there were competitions open to members of the National Guard, in which the men making up the several troops and batteries were put to their best efforts of horsemanship, with spectacular results in most cases, though under the compulsory conditions of the programme prizes were awarded in most of the cases. The leading feature of the military competitions was that in the saddle and bridle race, won by Private Kneiff, though most of the other competitions produced smart competitions, with the results that were full of interest to the competitors.

The chief features of the night's programme in a spectacular and popular way were those that included military features, and the best of these was the trial of the men under conditions that called for decisions that permitted expression of popular wishes under the military rules for the tournament. The most important of these decisions concerned the cavalry division of the National Guard, with the decisions of the night most notably in favor of the First and Second Platoons of the First Battery.

Seton Hall Ties City College.

In a drizzling rain yesterday afternoon the Seton Hall and the College of the City of New York baseball teams played a five-inning tie game, each team scoring two runs. At the end of the fifth inning the downpour of rain became unbearable, and the umpire was compelled to call an interesting game. In the third inning City College began to bunt the ball, and, aided by the infield errors, scored 2 runs. Seton Hall tied the score in the next inning, when Strensand passed Clarke and Johnson and Ferry hit the ball beyond Rossell at third. Scoppa failed to stop the ball in left field, and the two runners scored. The score:

SETON HALL.	R	H	PO	A	E	C. C. N. Y.	R	H	PO	A	E
Kellog, ss.	0	0	2	0	0	Sippel, ss.	0	0	2	1	1
Mahoney, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	Rossell, 3b.	0	1	1	0	0
Clarke, cf.	1	0	2	0	0	Dub, 2b.	0	0	0	3	0
Johnson, 3b.	1	0	0	1	2	Scoppa, lf.	0	0	1	0	1
Ferry, lf.	0	1	0	0	0	Mardfin, 1b.	0	0	7	0	0
Meegan, c.	0	0	5	0	0	Frank, cf.	0	0	0	0	0
Daly, 2b.	0	0	1	1	2	Streus'd, p.	1	0	0	0	0
Lynch, 1b.	0	1	3	0	0	Ros'b'm, rf.	1	0	1	1	0
Powers, p.	0	0	2	3	0	Polley, c.	0	0	3	0	0
Burke, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Total	2	1	15	5	2
Total	2	2	15	5	4						

Seton Hall	0	0	0	2	0	—2
C. C. N. Y.	0	0	2	0	0	—2

Three-base hit—Ferry. Sacrifice hit—Rosenblum. First base on balls—Off Strensand, 2; off Powers, 3. First base on errors—C. C. N. Y., 1. Struck out—By Strensand, 3; by Powers, 3; by Burke, 2. Stolen base—Rosenblum. Double plays—Kellog, Johnson, and Daly. Left on bases—C. C. N. Y., 4; Seton Hall, 1. Passed ball—Meegan. Time of game—Forty minutes. Umpire—Mr. Smith, All Collegiate A. C.

Morris High Gets Only One Hit.

Fordham Prep and Morris High School fought it out yesterday afternoon in the rain at Fordham Field, the Prep winning its game by the score of 6 to 1. Shankey, the Prep's star twirler, was in good form and twirled in first-class style in spite of the slippery sphere. Morris got one hit and thirteen of their men fanned.

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Fordham Prep	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	—6	7	3
Morris High	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1	1	5

Batteries—Fordham Prep, Shankey and Baldwin; Morris High, Stocker, Van, and Price. Umpires—Mr. White, Fordham, and Mr. Van Rensselaer, Morris High. Time of game—One hour and fifty minutes.

Scores of Baseball Games.

At Toledo—Detroit, 7; Toledo, 5.

At Emmittsburg, Md.—Mount St. Mary's, 5; Bucknell, 0.

At Lexington, Va.—Washington and Lee, 2; Richmond College, 2; (12 innings.)

At Greensboro, N. C.—Villa Nova, 9; Guilford College, 4.

At Chapel Hill, N. C.—North Carolina, 6; Dartmouth, 0.

At Due West, S. C.—South Carolina, 6; Erskine College, 4.

New York Teams Idle.

Exhibition games scheduled to be played yesterday by the New York Yankees and Giants and Brooklyns were canceled on account of rain. The Giants left Columbus last night, and will arrive home to-day to play Yale, after the Giants' second team plays the New York Athletic Club. The Yankees will go over to Jersey City this afternoon to play the Eastern Leaguers.

Schaefer Too Ill to Play Sutton.

CHICAGO, April 10.—The billiard match for the 18.1 balk line championship of the world, billed for May 11 between Jacob Schaefer and George Sutton, will go by default to Sutton, the challenger, unless the present champion recovers from his serious illness in time to defend his title, of which there is little hope.

Sutton left last night for Rochester to take the "wizard's" place in the exhibition tour with Hoppe, as Schaefer became too ill in Albany to complete his engagement. Just before he left, Sutton said that, according to the rules governing the championship trophy, it would be impossible for him to agree to a postponement.

He said, however, he would not take a sick man's money and would return to Schaefer his forfeit of $250 if the match was not played. Schaefer has been sick for the last two weeks, suffering from an ulcerated stomach.

New Garage at Coney Island.

George C. Tilyou will establish a garage at Coney Island for the accommodation of motor car owners opposite the new Steeplechase on the block bounded by Surf and Mermaid Avenues, West Sixteenth, and West Seventeenth Streets. The garage will be able to accommodate a thousand cars and will be possibly the largest of its sort in the world.

NOTES OF THE TURF.

In the announcement of the conditions for the most valuable race in the world, the $60,000 Grand Prix de Paris, open to yearlings of this season, the French Jockey Club has designated the racing secretary of The Jockey Club of New York, Algernon Daingerfield, to receive American entries for the race to be run in 1910. The Grand Prix will have its increased value of 300,000 francs for the first time this year. The race, for entire colts and fillies, of all breeds and all countries, three years old, is at a distance of a little less than a mile and seven furlongs, the weight to be carried being fixed at 127 pounds.

The death of the three-year-old Sweetaire, a winner in the stable of R. F. Carman last season, has been reported to The Jockey Club.

The first American bred two-year-old to win in England this season made her appearance at the Lingfield Park meeting in August Belmont's Tarpaulin II., a sister to the fast mare Tiptoe, by Hastings-Tarpel. Tarpaulin II. won in her first start, for the Surrey Selling Plate, at five furlongs, and then was sold to an English turfman for $250.

The returns made to the agents of the French Government for the first day of racing this season at Longchamps, in the Sunday opening, showed that the total amount of money that passed through the Paris mutuel pool for the day was $460,000, of which 7 per cent. was deducted to be divided among the race fund, the Government breeding bureau, and charities. The amount of money handled in the pools [illegible]

AUTO RUN TO BRONXVILLE.

Motorists Tell of Carnival Week Success at Gramatan Inn.

Automobilists invaded the Gramatan Inn last night, transferring their carnival festivities from Automobile Row to Bronxville, forty-five minutes or more from Broadway. Owing to the rain, many of the prospective tourists who had entered cars for the twelve to fourteen mile run from the city, decided late in the day to forego the inconveniences of an open-air ride in an April drizzle and over slippery streets, with the somewhat unusual result for a motor car outing that nearly half of the 100 members of the auto party unblushingly confessed to having used the railway or trolley cars. Nevertheless, fully twenty cars were packed about the hotel, and fully a score of women braved the wet weather, and in their attractive costumes added a piquancy and sociability to that portion of the dining room set apart for this feature of the carnival week programme.

The dinner was informal, being devoted to good-fellowship and the expression of general satisfaction on the success and beneficial results of New York's first automobile carnival week.

Gen. and Mrs. Cutting with a party of friends made the run to Bronxville in a covered Oldsmobile. W. J. Gilbert and Harry Fosdick went up in Mr. Gilbert's Packard runabout, and among others present were W. W. Burke, Mora; B. W. Rickert, S. J. Wise, H. A. Van Tine, Charles Williams, and C. R. Teaboldt, Garford; R. G. Howell, Northern; R. B. Van Dyke, W. A. Evans, James K. Christie, Berliet; C. W. Wurster, Stearns; W. Woods, Cleveland; L. A. Hopkins, American Mors; Henry A. Tredwell, Imperial; Ernest Coler, Maxwell; Albert G. Bechtel and O. G. Bechtel, Waltham; Kingsley Swan, Halstead Swan, and L. H. Allen, Pope-Hartford; Frank Leland, Stevens; Duryea; Walter C. Evans and C. F. Fitzgerald, Autocar; Alfred Reeves, Fred J. Wagner, W. R. Lee, Peter J. W. Kelly, J. J. McCutcheon, H. C. Field, Richard Newton, Orrel A. Parker, W. P. Beaman, L. K. Clark, C. W. Marsh, H. D. Wilde, A. J. Interreiden, and Alexander Howell.

ROBERTS HAS CLOSE CALL.

Thomas Car Runs Into Ditch, Throwing Driver High in the Air.

Montague Roberts, who will drive a Thomas car in the Briarcliff race on April 24, had a miraculous escape from death while practicing over the course yesterday morning. The Thomas camp is at East View, and Roberts was out early, following the wake of Cebrino, in the Flat car. As Roberts neared the starting point in Briarcliff Manor his machine gained a speed of about seventy miles an hour, when, in front of the spot where the grand stand is to be erected, the machine left the road, dashed into an open field, sank into the ditch and came to a halt against its bank.

Roberts was thrown high into the air but escaped with only a few bruises and a shaking up. The hood and other front parts of the car were badly wrecked. Roberts said: "I was going too fast, and that's all there is to it."

Cebrino made two laps over the course, and it is said that he did the first in less than fifty minutes for the thirty-three miles.

Navy to Shoot Against Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The schedule of rifle matches between the teams of the Naval Academy and civilian organizations for 1908 was announced at the Navy Department to-day. Three matches are provided for, as follows: May 4, with the officers of the National Guard of Maryland; May 11, with officers of the National Guard of the District of Columbia, and May 18, with the Seventy-first Regiment of the New York National Guard. The match with the latter organization will be for the trophy recently offered by Col. J. Hollis Wells of that regiment, to be competed for annually by the regiment and the midshipmen.

Barnard Freshmen Win.

The Freshman Class of Barnard College defeated the Seniors yesterday in basket ball, 24 to 10. Elsie Gleason won first honors by scoring 14 goals, and her team-mate, Frances Randolph, tossed the other 10 goals. The goal-making for the Seniors was done by Josephine Prahl, with 6, and Florence Sainmet, with 4. The teams lined up as follows: Freshmen—Frances Randolph and Elsie Gleason, forwards; Vera Fruslein and Aurel Bishop, centre; Capt. Ethel Leveridge and Grace Shaw, guards. Seniors—Josephine Prahl and Agnes Miller, forwards; Capt. Florence Sainmet, centre; Pauline Steinberg and Mary Maxon, guards. Referee—Miss Calhoun, Teachers' College. Umpire—Mr. E. Fauver, Columbia University.

Demarest and Conklin Enter.

The formal entries of Calvin Demarest and Charles F. Conklin were received yesterday for the international amateur billiard championship. Demarest is the present holder of the American championship and records which he created in the recent tournament held in his home club. It was his second consecutive victory, and he took the American emblem outright for his personal property. Conklin won the championship in 1905. These are the first formal entries, with the exception of that of Lucien Le Rolle of the French Amateur Federation, that have been received for the coming tournament to be played at 18.2 balk line in the concert hall of the Liederkranz Club, beginning Tuesday, April 28.

American Chess Men Beaten.

VIENNA, April 10.—Much importance was attached to the fourteenth round of the International Chessmasters' Tournament, played at the local club to-day, on account of some of the leaders and strongest players being paired against each other. The American, Marshall, was defeated by Duras after a very hotly contested game. The other American, Johner, also suffered defeat at the hands of Tartakower. Maroczy and Schlechter drew their game. The other results were: Reti lost to Spielmann, Perlis to Swiderski, Rubinstein to Leonhardt, Alapin beat Suechting, Cohn vanquished Mieses, Berger and Teichmann and Bardeleben and Salwe drew their respective games.

College Swimmers to Decide Title.

The intercollegiate swimming championships will be decided this evening in the tank of the College of the City of New York gymnasium, when the Princeton and Pennsylvania swimmers meet and the Yale and Pennsylvania water polo teams battle for supremacy. Princeton and Pennsylvania were tied for first place when the management of the latter team forfeited to the swimmers of Harvard, each having thus lost but one dual meet. The water polo championship will be fought out between the Pennsylvania and Yale teams, each being tied for first place.

Kid Griffo Wins Another Fight.

Kid Griffo of Brooklyn swelled his record last night by defeating Kid Williams of Philadelphia in the windup of six rounds at the New Polo A. A. Griffo used a short left hook punch with enough accuracy and force to stagger his opponent. Williams depended on a left swing to score, but although he landed frequently he failed to even disturb the Kid, who kept boring in all the time. Charles Goldman defeated Young White in the semi-windup. Jack Smith trounced Al Deering, George Hoey and Phil McGovern drew after four rounds of lively boxing, so did Jeff Gaffney and Tommy Nelson, while Young Butch defeated Billy Acker on points.

Mike Griffin, Ball Player, Is Dead.

UTICA, N. Y., April 10.—Michael J. Griffin, one of the best-known baseball players in the country, died at his home in this city this morning from pneumonia, with which he was attacked on Saturday last. Mr. Griffin was for several seasons Captain and for one season manager of the Brooklyn National League team. He was connected with several of the National League teams, and was counted the best centre fielder in the League. He retired in 1898.

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COURT CALENDARS

FEDERAL COURTS.

Supreme Court of the United States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The United States Supreme Court proceedings to-day were as follows:

4, Original—Commonwealth of Virginia vs. State of West Virginia.—Argument continued for the defendant and concluded for complainant.

190—Berea College, plaintiff in error, vs. the Commonwealth of Kentucky.—Argument commenced.

Day call for Monday, April 13: 190, 171, 198, 199, 201, 202, 203, 204 (and 205), 206, 207.

STATE COURTS.

Court of Appeals Calendar.

ALBANY, April 10.—Court of Appeals calendar for Monday: 192, 132, 154, 181, 185, 113, 200, 201.

Decisions.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.
Gildersleeve, Seabury, and Dayton, JJ.

APPEALS FROM ORDERS OF THE CITY COURT.

White vs. Kalski.—Order reversed, without costs, as directed in opinion. Opinion per curiam.

Frazier vs. Sheridan Company.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion.

Eddington vs. Union Railway Company.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements, and judgment reinstated, with costs. Opinion per curiam.

Francis vs. Saikali.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion.

Edwards vs. Greenwich Savings Bank.—Order reversed, without costs, but with disbursements to be taxed. Opinion per curiam.

Dana vs. Thaw.—Order modified by striking out provision for renewal, and as modified affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. Opinion per curiam. Dissenting opinion by Dayton, J.

APPEALS FROM JUDGMENTS OF THE CITY COURT.

Israelson vs. Supreme Lodge of the Order of Iroquois; Candee, Smith & Howland Company vs. Levin.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Royal Bank of New York vs. German-American Insurance Company.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J.

Morganbesser vs. Levy.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event.—Opinion by Dayton, J.

Car Advertising Company vs. Buchan's Soaps Corporation; Dickinson vs. Central Railroad of New Jersey.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Scott vs. Dillon.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J.

Ciprico vs. Manhattan Office Partition Company.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Joveshof vs. Rockey.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Salzman vs. Shodorov.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Shindler vs. U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with cost to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam. Seabury, J., taking no part.

Bjorkegren vs. Kirk.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Seabury, J., dissenting.

Weeks vs. Dudgeon.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Gelof vs. Morgenroth.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Sheridan vs Burke; Tuttle vs. Hayes.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Berrent vs. Simpson.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Phelps vs. McTurck.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Woods vs. Broder.—Judgment reversed and complaint dismissed, with costs. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Greenberg vs. Ratner.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

APPEALS FROM MUNICIPAL COURT.

Smith vs. Geraty.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Seabury, J.

Barrett-Shaw Co. vs. Sagamore Club; Riehl vs. Great Neck Land Co.; Turner vs. Mittelman; Glackman vs. Idelson.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Suchar vs. Rothenstein.—Judgment reversed, with costs. Opinion per curiam.

Greenberg vs. Appelbaum.—Order affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Lawrence vs. E. A. Denham Co.—Final order reversed and new trial granted, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Weber vs. Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company; Blackman vs. Rosenheimer.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

McLean vs. Tobin.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Seabury, J.; Dayton, J., taking no part.

Heim vs. Schaumberger; Proto vs. Farrell.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Nave vs. Kriete.—Record returned to files of this court. Memorandum per curiam.

Strauss vs. Salzer.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Shubert vs. Kaplan.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Garrett vs. Holt.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Edelman vs. Rams.—Appeal from judgment of Jan. 7, 1908, dismissed, with $10 costs. Interlocutory judgment of Jan. 3, 1908, reversed and demurrer sustained, with costs, with leave to the plaintiff to amend the complaint within five days upon payment of said costs. Costs of one party to be offset against those of the other. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J.

Ellsworth vs. Union Railway Company.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Kavensky vs. Klein.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J.

Ryan Construction Company vs. Raub; Seligman vs. Teiger; Kraus & Co. vs. Meyers.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Root vs. Spence.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Hook vs. Sarnoff; Baer vs. Poucher; Vogel Company vs. Knox Hat Company.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Low vs. Thompson.—Final order affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Seabury, J.

Jachot vs. Heidelberger.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Ming vs. Ling.—Appeal dismissed, with $10 costs. Opinion per curiam.

Kreth vs. Graber.—Judgment affirmed, with costs, and appeal from order dismissed. No opinion.

Callahan vs. Oltarsh.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Cochenour vs. Reiser.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Kirwan vs. Pizer.—Judgment against Laura Pizer reversed, with costs. Judgment against the other defendants affirmed, with costs. Opinion per curiam.

Coogan vs. Beller.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam. Dayton, J., dissenting in memorandum.

Bowers vs. Duryea.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Blumstein vs. Krulewitch; Babjak vs. Jacobowitz; Greenthal vs. Rubenstein; Goldberg vs. Kahn; Tartaglione vs. Trotta.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Schmitt vs. Greenberg.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion per curiam.

Bergmann vs. Papia.—Final order reversed and new trial granted, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Seabury, J.

Nelson vs. Van Norden Trust Company.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Benjamin vs. Thomas.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Feust vs. Graig.—Judgment reversed and complaint dismissed, with costs. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Perlman vs. Levy.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Fagan Iron Works vs. Dawson Realty Company.—Judgments reversed and new trials granted, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

De Franco vs. Congress Brewing Company.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

John Simmons Company vs. Piercy Company.—Judgment modified as indicated in opinion, and as modified affirmed, without costs to either party. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J. Dissenting opinion by Dayton, J.

Schollars vs. Coghlan.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Silberberg vs. Trachtenberg.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion per curiam.

Albert Gas Fixture Company vs. Kabat.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Regulus Cigar Company vs. Flannery.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Woodard vs. Johnson.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Fixel vs. Corkill; Gotthofer vs. Brooklyn, Queens County & Suburban Railroad Company.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Marrer vs. Marrer and another.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Gottlieb vs. Landsman; Nathan vs. Business Man's Publishing Company.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Ebling Brewing Company vs. Nimphius.—Order affirmed, with costs, with leave to appellant to appeal to the Appellate Division. Opinion by Seabury, J. Dissenting opinion by Dayton, J.

Barton vs. Fuller's Express Company.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion per curiam.

Greenblatt vs. Kinstler.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

White vs. Bystrom.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event unless the plaintiff will stipulate within five days to reduce the amount of the judgment to $100 and appropriate costs in the court below, in which event the judgment will be affirmed, without costs of this appeal. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J.

Strasburger vs. Goldenberg.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered, with costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Dayton, J.

Schon vs. Harlan; Danaher vs. Johnson; David Weil's Sons Company vs. American Cigar Box Company; Anzelwitz & Co. vs. Goldman.—Judgments affirmed, with costs. No opinions.

Conroy vs. Bigg.—Judgment reversed, with costs and new trial ordered. Opinion by Gildersleeve, J.

Manhattan Leasing Company vs. Weixelbaum.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion.

Cuilhe vs. Ackerman.—Judgment reversed and demurrer sustained, with costs, with leave to the plaintiff to plead over within five days upon payment of the costs in the court below, and costs of this appeal. Opinion per curiam.

Cushman vs. Thompson.—Judgment reversed, with costs, and demurrer overruled, with leave to plaintiff to try his action upon the merits upon payment of all costs. Opinion per curiam. Orders filed in all cases.

By Gildersleeve, Giegerich, and Greenbaum, Justices.

Barnewitz vs. Jonest.—Motion granted and affidavits filed with motion papers. Order filed.

The Appellate Division, First Department, yesterday announced the following decisions:

In the matter of Blanche L. Andrews, an incompetent person.—Order modified as directed in opinion, and as modified affirmed, with costs to all parties, payable by the committee of the estate. Opinion by Laughlin and Scott, JJ., and Patterson, P. J. (Patterson, P. J., and Scott, J., dissenting.) Settle order on notice.

Anne Robinson, as administratrix, respondent, vs. Consolidated Gas Company of New York, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. (Dissenting opinion by Ingraham, J.) Order filed.

Bertha Schiefer, respondent, vs. New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and others, appellants.—Judgment reversed, with costs, and demurrer overruled, with costs, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw demurrer on payment of costs. Opinion by Laughlin and Ingraham, JJ. Order filed.

Sophie Maass, respondent, vs. Marcus A. Rosenthal, appellant.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Laughlin, J. Order filed.

Thomas O'Donnell, appellant, vs. John H. Parker Company, respondent.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Laughlin, J.

Manhasset Point Company, appellant, vs. Frederick W. Wright, respondent.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Laughlin, J. Order filed. (Houghton, J., dissenting.)

Edward L. Coster and another, as executors, appellants, vs. Edward L. Coster and others and Charles O. Maas, respondents.—Order reversed, without costs, and motion granted. Opinion by Houghton, J. Order filed.

Minnie T. Brown, respondent, vs. Albert F. Mando, appellant.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements, and motion granted, with $10 costs. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

Minnie A. Bremer, appellant, vs. John C. Bremer and others, respondents.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. (Ingraham, J., dissenting.) Order filed.

Sigmund Neftelberger, appellant, vs. James E. Garner, respondent.—Judgment and order reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide the event. Opinion by Ingraham, J. Order filed.

Dietrich W. Wehrenberg, respondent, vs. Louis Seiford and another, appellants.—Judgment modified as directed in opinion, and as modified affirmed, without costs. Opinions by Houghton and Laughlin, ——, (Laughlin, J., dissenting.) Settle order on notice.

Francis C. Presky, respondent, vs. Degnon-McLean Contracting Company, impleaded, appellant.—Judgment and order reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

Eva Lehtoner as administratrix, appellant, vs. New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, respondent.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Edwin P. Shattuck as receiver, appellant, vs. Guardian Trust Company of New York, respondent.—Judgment reversed, with costs, and demurrer sustained, with costs, with leave to defendant to amend answer on payment of costs. Opinion by Ingraham, J. Order filed.

Moses Tanenbaum, respondent, vs. Federal Match Company, appellant.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Phoenix Iron Company, respondent, vs. Metropole Construction Company et al., appellants.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Laughlin, J. Order filed.

Herman Isaacs, respondent, vs. Terry & Tench Company, appellant.—Determination judgment and order reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinions by McLaughlin and Laughlin, JJ. Order filed.

People ex rel. Abraham Cohen and another, respondents, vs. Edmond J. Butler as Commissioner, &c., appellant.—Judgment reversed, with costs and disbursements, demurrer sustained, and alternative writ dismissed, with $50 costs. Opinion by Scott, J. Settle order on notice.

Robert E. Henry, plaintiff, vs. Babcock & Wilson Company, defendant.—Judgment ordered for defendant, with costs. Opinion by Scott, Laughlin, and Houghton, JJ., (Laughlin and Houghton, JJ., dissenting.) Settle order on notice.

Porte V. Ransom, respondent, vs. Eva B. H. Ransom, appellant.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. (Houghton, J., dissenting.) No opinion. (Concurring memorandum by Laughlin, J.) Order filed.

Basil Jones, respondent, vs. American Law Book Company, appellant.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinion by Houghton, J. Order filed.

Herman Leis, respondent, vs. Timothy Donohue, appellant.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Isaac W. Parmenter, respondent, vs. William P. Homans et al., appellants.—Judgment reversed, with costs, demurrers sustained, with costs, with leave to plaintiff to amend on payment of costs to each appellant. Opinion by Scott, J. (Houghton, J., dissenting.) Order filed.

Mary S. Kernochan, respondent, vs. Muriel E. Winthrop et al., appellants.—Judgment affirmed, with costs to each of the respondents who submitted briefs on appeal, payable out of the estate. Opinion per curiam. Settle order on notice.

The People, &c., respondent, vs. Charles Jordan, appellant.—Judgment and orders affirmed. Opinion by Houghton, J.

New Jersey Company, respondent, vs. Nathaniel Wise Company, appellant.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

The People, &c., respondent, vs. Julius Goldberg and another, appellants.—Judgment affirmed. Opinion by Ingraham, J. Order filed.

Mary A. Guilfoyle, respondent, vs. Catherine E. Pierce et al., appellants.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinion by McLaughlin, J.

Frank G. Carrie and another, respondents, vs. American Soda Fountain Co., appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

James M. Hollans, respondent, vs. Augustus H. Grote et al., appellants.—Judgment affirmed, with costs, with leave to defendants to amend on payment of costs. Opinions by Ingraham and McLaughlin, JJ. (McLaughlin and Houghton, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

City of New York, respondent, vs. Interborough Rapid Transit Company and another, appellants.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinions by McLaughlin, Ingraham, and Scott, JJ. (Scott and Clarke, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

Robert Lonsberg, appellant, vs. Max H. Levy and another, respondents.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

In the matter of the City of New York; Erie Railroad Company appellant.—Order affirmed, with costs. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

Agnes M. Williams, appellant, vs. City of New York, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

People ex rel. T. Harry Shanton, appellant, vs. MacDonough Craven, as Commissioner, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Katherine C. Gould, appellant, vs. Howard Gould, respondent.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements, and motion granted, with $10 costs. Opinion by McLaughlin, J. Order filed.

In the matter of opening West 162d St.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements to each respondent appearing separately. Opinions by Laughlin and Scott, JJ., (Scott and Ingraham, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

Catharine M. Shaw, respondent, vs. Sheldon B. Shaw, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Van Norden Trust Company, respondent, vs. Edward F. Murphy et al., appellants.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements, and motion denied, with $10 costs. Opinion per curiam. Order filed.

Julia Carson, respondent, vs. Frederick Carson, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Ella H. Lewis et al., respondents, vs. Michael Ryan et al., appellants.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

In the matter of John E. Nitchie.—Order affirmed, without costs. Opinion by McLaughlin, J. Order filed.

Agnes M. Gushee, as administratrix, respondent, vs. T. B. Harms Company, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Fernando C. Candee, Jr., respondent, vs. Chelsea Realty Company, impleaded, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Henry B. Callender, appellant, vs. Edward Lauterbach, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Jesse J. Goldberg, appellant, vs. Jacob D. Marmur and Samuel J. Rawak, respondents.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Samuel Baumann, respondent, vs. Bertha Dohm, impleaded, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Theodore M. Johnson, appellant, vs. Robert E. Robinson, impleaded, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Bonniford Leslie, respondent, vs. Firemen's Insurance Company, impleaded, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Manufacturers' Commercial Company, respondent, vs. Henry Blitz, appellant.—Order modified by allowing judgment to stand as security, striking out the provision requiring defendant to give bond, and also by requiring the defendant to stipulate that the case be placed on the short cause calendar, and as so modified affirmed, without costs. No opinion. Settle order on notice.

Manufacturers' Commercial Company, respondent, vs. Henry Blitz, appellant.—Appeal dismissed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

In the matter of Maynard N. Clement.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

[illegible] ent, vs. Friedrich Nachod et al., appellants.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. Opinion by McLaughlin, J. Order filed.

Frank Klein et al., respondents, vs. Henry Malbrunn, impleaded, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

William C. Adams and another, appellants, vs. Elias L. M. Bristol, impleaded, respondent.—Order modified by adding the words, "and bringing the same on for hearing at the next May term of the Appellate Division," and as so modified affirmed, without costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Koppel Freidland, respondent, vs. Harris Saul et al., appellants.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Edward P. Floyd-Jones, respondent, vs. United Electric Light and Power Company, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Henry W. T. Steinway, respondent, vs. Charles H. Steinway et al., appellants.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Ida Whitmore, respondent, vs. Louis Whitmore, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Lena Thompson as administratrix, appellant, vs. Post & McCord, respondent.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements and motion granted with $10 costs. Opinion by Scott, J. Order filed.

In the matter of Seth B. Robinson, Henrietta Muller, appellant.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements and the proceeding dismissed, without prejudice to any action that the attorney may bring against his client for the services rendered to her. Opinions by Ingraham and Scott, JJ., (Scott and Clarke, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

Calendars for Saturday, April 11.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Hendrick, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Ex parte business.

CITY COURT—Special Term and Chambers—Green, J.—Opens at 10 A. M. Ex parte business.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Hendrick, J.—Harry Kraft vs. John H. Strohl—Albert Sanders.

SUPREME COURT—Dowling, J.—People, &c., vs. Mutual Reserve Life Ins. Co.—Joseph J. O'Donohue and Joseph P. Day.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Hendrick, J.—In re Cunningham—Joseph P. Morrissey.

SUPREME COURT—O'Gorman, J.—Met. Life Ins. Co. vs. Herter Dudley—F. Malone.

SUPREME COURT—Dowling, J.—Kingsland vs. Logan—William H. Jackson. Trowbridge vs. B. G. F. Realty Co.—Frederick Durgan. In re Schmal—H. G. Schaekno.

BUSINESS TROUBLES

GEORGE CLARK.—George Clark, sewer contractor, 3,690 Third Avenue, Bronx, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $3,534 and assets of $25 cash.

M. LION & CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Max Lion, doing business as M. Lion & Co., dealers in furniture, 2,046 Third Avenue, by these creditors: New York Desk and Dining Room Furniture Company, $508; Gray & Co., $65, and Herrmann Furniture and Plumbers' Cabinet Works, $118. It is alleged that he is insolvent, and made preferential payments. Judge Hough appointed Hamilton Holt receiver, with a bond of $3,000. It was stated that the stock on hand is worth $8,000, and he has some outstanding accounts.

SACHS & VOGEL.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Emanuel Sachs and Joseph Vogel, composing the firm of Sachs & Vogel, manufacturers of cloaks and suits, 13-15 West Twentieth Street, by these creditors: Mosbacher, Cooperman & Kaufman, $170; Improved Sponging and Refinishing Company, $323, and Rudolph Teichman, $150. It was alleged that they are insolvent, and transferred a large portion of their property to certain creditors to prefer them. They began business in June, 1899, and their statement of Sept. 1, 1907, showed liabilities of $22,000 and assets of $57,941.

ROSSITER, MACGOVERN & CO., INC.—Schedules in bankruptcy of Rossiter, MacGovern & Co., Inc., machinery, 90 West Street, and also at 14 Morris Street, Jersey City, show liabilities of $67,749 and nominal assets of $23,907, consisting of stock, $15,000; notes, $1,000; machinery, $1,500; accounts, $5,000, (face value $53,762, but many of them are worthless;) receiver's certificates and stocks, $1,010, of which $1,000 are pledged; cash, $17, and life insurance policy of Frank MacGoverern, $380. Among the creditors are the General Electric Company, $10,523; Chatham National Bank, $7,500; Empire Trust Company, $1,000, secured; C. L. Rossiter, $3,000; Jessie C. Rossiter, $1,000; Otis Elevator Company, $1,200, and E. S. Brown, $2,100.

HUDSON VALLEY LEAD COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the Hudson Valley Lead Company of Poughkeepsie by these creditors: The Revere Rubber Company, Chicago, $735; the Du Pont Powder Company, $1,000; the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, $337; the Western Coal and Mining Company, $893, all of St. Louis; the Fredericktown Lumber Company, $129; J. L. De Guire, $361, and F. L. Tucker, $852, all of Fredericktown, Mo., and Harry C. Barker, Hyde Park, N. Y., $650. It was alleged that the company is insolvent, and on March 19 admitted in writing its inability to pay its debts. The company is a New York concern, incorporated on Nov. 20, 1903, as the Mine La Motte Development Company, with a capital stock of $600,000, and the name was changed to the Hudson Valley Lead Company in November, 1906. James M. Hadden is President. The works are at Fredericktown, Mo.

MAX KEST.—Max Kest, manager, living at 82 West 112th Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $36,960 and no assets. He was formerly a manufacturer of upholstery goods at 252 Fourth Avenue for fifteen years. On June 9, 1906, a petition in bankruptcy was filed against him, which was dismissed a week later, as he agreed to make a settlement at 30 cents on the dollar, payable 10 cents cash and the balance in notes on Dec. 1, 1906; April 1, 1907, and Aug. 1, 1907. His liabilities then were $60,000. In August, 1906, he incorporated the Max Kest Tapestry Company, and moved to 215 Canal Street, where the concern was burned out on Feb. 13 last. It is reported that there was no insurance. Among his creditors are Arthur Geoffrey, $4,500; the George Brooks & Sons Company, Philadelphia, $4,500; J. M. Schwehm's Sons, Philadelphia, $4,000; State Bank, $3,800, secured; N. Willoughby, $2,500, and Max Schwartz, $2,500. A few weeks ago the Margeritson-Struth Manufacturing Company of Philadelphia, a creditor, applied to Judge Holt of the United States District Court to set aside the composition mentioned above on the ground that this creditor had never received anything from Mr. Kest on the settlement, and the Judge granted the motion.

Judgments.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Arnold, Wm.—Mary E. Fleming, $43.
Andorn, M.—Indianapolis Abattoir Co., $222.
Aronowitz, L.—M. Goldstein, $97.
Bergstrom, J. E.—R. J. Hahn, $66.
Bunn, Wm.—Caroline Leonhard, $264.
Berman, P.—Fourteenth Street Bank, $248.
Brison, Wm. M.—A. Frank, $220.
Byers, J. J.—H. P. Brown, $11,501.
Bikoff, S.—I. M. Stern, $89.
Bernheim, Abram—People, &c., $500.
Binswanger, M.—Schieffelin & Co., $320.
Beckelman, Rose, (not summoned,) and Harris—Adolph Eisenstadt, $113.
Butinsky, Frank—Samuel Epstein, $41.
Bernstein, Hyman—Isaac Kosok, $29.
Benedict, Julian—Revillon Freres, $280.
Bizet, Francois—Norman F. Kerr, $613.
Becker, S.—J. Rosenberg et al., costs, $93.
Brownell, A.—G. C. Flint Co., $29.
Baker, C.—Nat. Park Bank of N. Y., $373.
Bedell, Arthur G.—Louis F. Haffen, $250.
Boyd, John—Henry W. A. Lehnert, $142.
Bernstein, Edward—Samuel Breks et al., $304.
Canzler, Anna—J. Franklin Fausch, $84.
Clark, Rose B.—Samuel Newman, $51.
Cukierfein, J., (not summoned)—Adolph Eisenstadt, $113.
Cowdrey, J. J.—B. F. Goodrich Co. of New York, $495.
Cameron, Mary E.—Vernette E. Prentice, costs, $23.
Carroll, C. C.—Michael J. O'Brien, $295.
Cody, John—People, &c., $500.
Cirolli, Andrea—People, &c., $500.
Cody, John—People, &c., $500.
Chapman, I. C.—E. R. Squibb & Sons, $114.
Chapman, I. C.—James B. Horner, $88.
Cockrell, G. E.—Samuel Bryant, $40.
Coffey, Patrick—People, &c., $25.
Cerf, Jerome—James Hebron, costs, $63.
Cohen, L.—Crescent Chemical Mfg. Co., $170.
Carpenter, R. H.—John B. Finn et al, $121.
De Beck, A. M.—George Barrie et al., $232.
Doll, Henry W.—People, &c., $500.
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Doscher, A.—Pietrowski & Konop Co., $90.
Dixon, Mary—Michael Ryan et al., costs, $233.
Enteen, Rose—C. E. Diefenthaler et al., $28.
Fowle, A., Jr.—Peerless Motor Car Co., $348.
Fessenden, Jane—Morning Telegraph Co., $87.
Freeman, A.—Terwilliger Mfg. Co., $270.
Feder, M. H.—Marco Brothers, Inc., $1,076.
Fletcher, Josephine—H. B. Smith et al., $124.
Faiella, J.—Standard Plumbing Supply Co., $218.
Feigensohn, D.—I. Cohen, $37.
Guay, Frank and William, (not summoned,) Arthur, George, and Joe—E. W. Ludington, $78.
Goell, D.—J. C. Orr Co., $632.
Greene, G. V. K.—Russell Electric Co., $28.
Gottlieb, Bertha C.—B. Buchbaum, $332.
Gallin, S.—North Side Bank of Brooklyn, $3,838.
Goodman, J.—People, &c., $500.
Same—Same, $500.
Same—Same, $500.
Greenblatt, H.—Annie Zimmerman, costs, $109.
Golden, M.—Kherivial Co., costs, $32.
Golden, F.—Same, costs, $22.
Galanopulo, C. S.—State Bank, $800.
Hare, W. P.—T. Boyd et al., $109.
Hemphill, A. J.—G. H. Sargent et al., $680.
Hall, W. B.—Burnham & Phillips, $207.
Hammerstein, O.—F. J. Lantry, $57.
Same—H. Bonner, $57.
Hughes, W.—M. Ryan et al., costs, $233.
Holland, J. F.—Peck Brothers & Co., $482.
Huppert, I.—S. Brehs et al., $804.
Hazelkorn, M.—Empire Tinware Co., $133.
Jordan, E. L.—E. A. Campbell, $45.
Jacques, J.—Same, $66.
Jackson, C.—J. A. Dillon, $39.
Keehne, E.—P. Gurry, $1,305.
Kaufman, J.—A. Eisenstadt, $113.
Killoran, Mary A.—J. Gordon, $21.
Kronengold, P.—Rand, McNally & Co., $30.
Kaufman, J.—S. Krameisen, $74.
Kleinfeld, I.—S. Brehs et al, $804.
Lang, C. H.—V. Dick, $1,345.
Lord, Anna R.—S. P. Cahill, $178.
Lewis, Ella H.—M. Ryan et al., costs $233.
Lee, G. P.—Burnham & Phillips, $52.
Levine, M.—J. Telman et al., $520.
Lane, R. E.—S. Schinasi et al., costs, $158.
Muller, H. L.—A. Straatmann et al., $243.
Martin, R. F.—J. Jantzen, $173.
Murray, E. R.—P. Kalmus et al., $87.
Minister, G.—Laura Lang, $25.
Myers, F. A.—European-Am. Bank, $520.
McMahon, E.—C. Becken, $543.
Mabin, J.—Fass & Co., $90.
Maselli, F. A.—G. Neumeyer et al., $619.
Meister, Mildred V.—A. J. Meister, costs, $2,647.
Miller, J. B.—W. McGibbon et al., $296.
Muller, H. L.—V. N. Loweree et al., $1,392.
Meisler, L.—M. Perlmutter, $63.
Margolies, K.—H. Lippman et al., $91.
Moore, J. A.—W. Farrell et al., $2,406.
Newman, D. E.—A. J. Rabiner, $293.
Nearpass, C. E.—C. E. Dieffenthaler et al., $92.
Neuman, Elizabeth—J. Epstein, $27.
O'Neill, P. F.—People, &c., $500.
Same—Same, $500.
Orseck, O. and J.—S. Krameisen, $74.
Poggi, P.—G. Salamano, $79.
Peterson, H.—People, &c., $500.
Same—Same, $500.
Reimer, I.—C. Grigat, $81.
Reiley, Margaret—Curtis-Blaisdell Co., $114.
Rud, S.—L. Richter et al., $240.
Reich, Bertha—H. Greenstone et al., $34.
Rabinowitz, M.—D. P. Wizne Co., $281.
Richmond, S. H.—E. S. Lewis et al., $227.
Rosen, M. A.—J. J. Buckley, $121.
Rosnicoff, M., (not summoned)—Same, $121.
Rosenbush, L.—W. Walker et al., $557.
Renwick, H. S.—P. H. Roche, $164.
Richards, P. V.—E. R. Thomas et al., costs, $115.
Rothfeld, I.—S. Brehs et al., $804.
Shaw, Edith A.—R. A. Bindhart, $35.
Strauss, H.—H. Meltzer et al., $697.
Swegelsky, B.—D. Belen et al., $387.
Sondheim, L. and E.—E. Yerks et al., $658.
Sandler, M. and H.—J. Auerbach, $203.
Saacke, C. W.—George C. Flint Co., $34.
Shin, C. K.—C. Young, $115.
Schmidt, H. A.—S. Tepper, $390.
Smith, De W.—H. H. Arthur et al., $78.
Saba, A. and J.—State Bank, $800.
Schwarz, A. M.—P. Karadontes et al., $394.
Shafarman, N.—M. Perlmutter, $63.
Smith, H.—People, &c., $500.
Thomas, Edwin L.—Jos. Landherr et al., $5,088.
Thompson, F. W.—W. B. Troy, costs, $32.
Tonnele, Walter—R. H. Luthin, $218.
Tucker, Catherine (not summoned)—Christopher Grigat, $81.
Troy, Delia—Simpson Crawford Co., $59.
Van Wagonen, C. S.—Louis L. Haggin, $195.
Witt, Wolf—Schieffelin & Co., $144.
Weber, Louis G. and Ernst A.—B. F. Goodrich Co. of N. Y., $493.
Weiss, Ike—F. Westheimer et al., $152.
Weisinger, J.—J. Rosenberg et al., costs, $93.
Wray, A. A.—Marion V. Frohne, $265.
Wahle, Chas. G. F.—M. Alliegro, $124.
Wallenstein, Saul—Wm. J. Bunt et al., $1,050.
Same—Barnet Breslof, $345.
Wilkens, Hermas L.—Lina Busch, $321.
Wechselbaum, T.—S. Breakstone et al., $85.
General Supply and Construction Co.—C. H. Rugg Co., $752.
Ventilating Shoe Tree Co.—Van Dyck-Churchill Co., $145.
Bellows, Myers & Co.—European-Am. Bank, $520.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—H. W. Becker, $200.
Irish Industrial Exposition and Amusement Co., Ltd.—N. S. Scott Co., $339.
Roof Maintenance Co.—P. Bologh et al., $451.
A. J. Hemphill, Inc.—Rosendale Reddaway Belting and Hose Co., $170.
Union Ry. Co. of N. Y. City—Elizabeth Boes, $50.
Same—Rose Rose, $200.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—John Feeney, $50.
Same—Nancy J. Crane, $750.
Same—Melta D. Ainley, $2,014.
Universal Fireproof Construction Co.—Nicholas Langler et al., $59.
N. Y. City Car Advertising Co.—Harry Rosenwasser et al., costs, $68.
Julius Jonson's Sons—U. S. Exch. Bank, $2,652.
Eastern Cork Co.—F. B. Brock et al., $2,082.
Am. Steel and Wire Co.—M. M. Nicholls, costs, $114.

Satisfied Judgments.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed:

Boettiger, A.—E. Mulvihill, Jan. 16, 1908, $897.
Garthe, J. W.—T. Cunningham, Nov. 11, 1897, $87.
Mahoney, Minnie—Christian Schuck & Co., Feb. 8, 1908, $80.
Same—A. E. Fountain et al., April 26, 1902, $44.
McGarry, Mary—W. Foster, Jan. 30, 1908, $50.
Malcolm, W. H.—E. C. Potter & Co., Feb. 19, 1908, $335.
Schrader, O. C.—R. H. Fraenckel, March 28, 1906, $881.
Same—Same, April 6, 1908, $166.
Same—Same, Jan. 28, 1907, $162.
Weglen, N.—William Campbell Stevens Co., March 6, 1908, $517.
The 14th Street Store—H. Weniger, April 11, 1906, $3,664.
Same—Same, April 6, 1908, $113.
Same—Same, Feb. 9, 1907, $134.
Gabriel, A.—T. Zindler, Oct. 29, 1907, $75.
Same—Same, Oct. 29, 1907, $73.
Same—Same, Feb. 13, 1908, $100.
Murray, J.—City of N. Y., June 19, 1906, $2,027.
Phelan, W. L.—J. Marx, Dec. 11, 1907, $29.
Kerwin, A. J., Jr.—A. Post et al., April 13, 1907, (reversed,) $142.
Haines, S. B.—I. E. Raymond, April 6, 1908, (vacated,) $435.
Ireland, J. B.—United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co., March 19, 1908, (vacated,) $3,398.
Weinstein, G., and M. Zogat—A. Bloch, Feb. 25, 1908, (vacated,) $98.

Hand book free, telling all about patents. O'Meara & Brock, Patent Attorneys, 256 Broadway.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, plaintiff, against PEERLESS BRICK COMPANY and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, and bearing date the 25th day of February, 1908, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 2d day of April, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, or being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning on the northerly side of 118th Street, distant four hundred ninety-eight (498) feet easterly from the northeasterly corner of Pleasant Avenue (formerly Avenue A) and 118th Street, and running thence northerly, parallel with Pleasant Avenue, two hundred one (201) feet ten (10) inches to the southerly side of 119th Street; thence easterly, along the southerly side of 119th Street, twenty-five (25) feet; thence southerly, parallel with Pleasant Avenue, one hundred (100) feet eleven (11) inches to the centre line of the block; thence easterly along the same continued into the Harlem River, two hundred eighty-six (286) feet one (1) inch, more or less, to the bulkhead or pier line as now established by law; thence southerly along the same, one hundred and six (106) feet ten (10) inches, more or less, to the intersection thereof with the northerly side of 118th Street, continued into the Harlem River; and thence westerly, along the northerly side of 118th Street, three hundred forty-six (346) feet two (2) inches, more or less, to the point and place of beginning.

"Together with all the right, title, and interest which the Peerless Brick Company, a domestic corporation, on May 31, 1904, had a right to convey in and to the land under the water of the Harlem River, conveyed by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, by grant dated January 19th, 1871, and recorded in the Register's Office of the City and County of New York, in Liber 1,170 of Deeds, Page 89, January 21st, 1871, subject to the covenants and conditions contained in said grant.

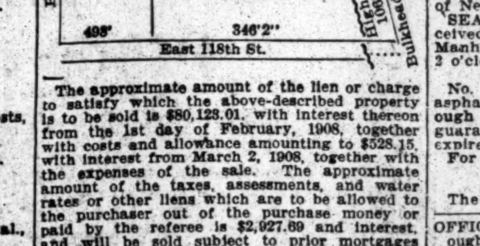
"Also the structure, of whatever nature or description, now upon said property, and all other structures, buildings, and wharves erected thereon, all machinery or chattels owned by the Peerless Brick Company, and placed thereon, including all rights, privileges, and franchises pertaining to the business conducted or carried on by the Peerless Brick Company at the above described premises, together with all the personal property, rights, and privileges that may have been acquired by the company and used on the above-described premises and now owned by it:

"Together with the appurtenances and all the estate and rights of the Peerless Brick Company in and to the said premises."

Dated New York, March 6th, 1908.
MALCOLM SUNDHEIMER, Referee.

HOTCHKISS & BARBER, Esqs., Attorneys for Plaintiff, 5 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is $80,123.01, with interest thereon from the 1st day of February, 1908, together with costs and allowance amounting to $528.15, with interest from March 2, 1908, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates or other liens which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money or paid by the referee is $2,927.69 and interest, and will be sold subject to prior mortgages amounting to $68,500.00 and accrued interest.

Dated New York, March 6th, 1908.
MALCOLM SUNDHEIMER, Referee.

The sale of the property above described is hereby adjourned to Thursday, April 9, 1908, at the same hour and place.

Dated New York, April 2, 1908.
MALCOLM SUNDHEIMER, Referee.

The sale of the property above described is hereby adjourned to Thursday, April 16, 1908, at the same hour and place.

Dated New York, April 9, 1908.
MALCOLM SUNDHEIMER, Referee.

Arrival of Buyers

Buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Tower, E. C., & Co., Troy, N. Y.; D. J. Sullivan, cloaks and suits; Hotel Albany.
Steemman Clothing Company, Muscatine, Iowa; W. F. Bishop, clothing; 729 Broadway.
Miller & Rhoads, Richmond, Va.; G. Robson, cloaks, suits, and waists; 320 Church Street.
Howell, Warner & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.; H. W. Clark, linens; The Breslin.
Goldsmith, S. A., Company, New London, Conn.; S. A. Goldsmith, hosiery and underwear; 32 White Street.
Rose, S. M., Company, Pittsburg, Penn.; S. M. Rose, millinery; Prince George Hotel.
Shepard-Norwell Company, Boston, Mass.; J. Flume, linens; 31 Union Square.
Reed Brothers & Co., Cleveland, Ohio; T. C. Ellsasser, millinery; Hotel Broztell.
Saks, J., Norfolk, Va.; notions and hosiery; Hotel York.
Nugent, B., & Broter, Dry Goods Company, St. Louis, Mo.; J. D. Fraser, hosiery and knit underwear; 31 Union Square.
Renwick Brothers & Co., Pittsburg, Penn.; A. W. Renwick, hats, flowers, and feathers; 626 Broadway; Hotel Grand.
Goldwater, N., & Son, Rochester, N. Y.; S. N. Goldwater, manufacturing department; Hotel Imperial.
May & Ellis, New Orleans, La.; E. Ellis, furnishing goods; Hotel Imperial.
Pushman, G. T., & Co., Chicago, Ill.; G. T. Pushman, Oriental rugs; Prince George Hotel.
Chartier's, Boston, Mass.; W. A. Bonney, cloaks and suits; Prince George Hotel.
Wanamaker, John, Philadelphia, Penn.; R. Quinn, jewelry; Broadway and Tenth Street; Hotel Imperial.
Hurst, John E., & Co., Baltimore, Md.; William Traub, prints; The Breslin.

Guide for Buyers

Cards may be inserted here upon order through telephone 1000 Bryant.

ADVERTISING BRUSHES.
J. Dukas & Co., 335 B'way. Also Glide Buckles.
ADV. ELECTROTYPES AND CUTS.
Freud Engraving Co., 102 Fulton St.
ANTIQUE LAMPS.
The Antique Lamp Mfg. Co., 33 W. 125th St.
APRONS.
Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 B'way. Rompers.
ART LINENS, EMBROIDERY MATERIAL, NOVELTIES.
Bentley, Chas. E., Co., 583 Broadway.
ART & ELECTRICAL FIXTURES.
Universal Mfg. Co., 1 Madison Av., R'm 6,065.
AUTO COATS.
Silberman, Scheer & Meyer, formerly M. Silberman & Co., 36-38 W. 20. Also Raincoats.
AWNINGS, TENTS, AND FLAGS.
M. Magee & Son, 147 Fulton St.
BASKETS AND WILLOW WARE.
Chas. Zinn & Co., 130 Grand St.
BOYS' BLOUSES, WAISTS & SHIRTS
Edman Bros., 105 Franklin St. Est. 1889. Also Wash Suits and Knee Pants.
BRAIDS.
Kursheedt Mfg. Co., The, 488 Broadway.
BRASS NOVELTIES.
F. L. Harding, 41 Union Sq., (Desk Sets, &c.)
CARPETS, RUGS, AND OILCLOTHS.
Union Carpet Co., 221-223 Canal St.
CELLULOID GOODS.
Bloom & Mandell Co., 81 Walker St. Albums
CHILDREN'S DRESSES & ROMPERS
E. B. Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 Broadway.
CLOAKS AND SUITS.
Rothschild, L., 45 E. 8th St. Ladies' Silk Coats.
U.S. Crav. R.C.Co., 28 W. 15. SilkRub'rizedCoats
CORSETS.
Boston Hygienic Corset Co., 1 West 34th St.
COSTUMES & Shirt Waist Dresses.
J. Goldberg, 27 West 24th St.
EMBROIDERIES.
Leumann, Boesch & Weingart, 593 B'way.
FAVORS & TABLE DECORATIONS.
B. Shackman & Co., 812 Broadway.
FILTERS (WHOLESALE.)
Self-cleaning Stone Filters. Linke, 1,561 B'way
HOSIERY.
Boley, M., 506 B'way. Men's Hosiery Exclus'ly
Schiff, Henry, & Co., 390-92 B'way, cor. 19th
GLOVES—KID, FABRIC, & SILK.
Ferdinand Ehrlich & Sons, 518 Broadway.
KIMONOS, DRESSING SACQUES.
Nasrallah, S., 85 Washington St.
KNIT GOODS—COATS AND BL'SES.
Myres, Max M., 486 Broadway. Also Shawls.
KNIT GOODS—Knit Underwear.
American Hosiery Co., 108-110 Franklin St.
Somuels, I. A., & Co., 486 B'way. Mill Agts.
LADIES' DR'SES & SH'RTW'ST S'TS.
J. Glockner, 34-36 West Houston St.
Spitzer & Harris, 132 West 17th St.
MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS AND DRESSES.
Getsky & Co., 110-112 Fifth Av.
NECKWEAR—Men's.
Berliner, Strauss & Meyer, 733, 735, 737 B'way.
OSTRICH FEATHERS.
Taylor, M. J., & Co., Mfg., 37 East 18th St.
SHIRT WAISTS & SUITS—LADIES'.
Atlantic Waist Co., 64-66 East 11th St.
SUITS, SKIRTS, & COVERT J'KETS.
Cohen&Pollack, 25 Wav'ly Pl. Suits $6.50 up to $15
WATER-PROOF TARPAULINS.
John Sullivan & Son, 356 Hudson St.

STORAGE NOTICE.

J. & J. W. Williams, 353 West 54th St., New York: To Mr. or Mrs. or Miss Connelly, Kennedy, Lefferts, Durrie, Clayton, Tracy, Reid, Goodwin, Gaffney, Greenbaum, Ryan, Reid, Lamden, Shields, Jonas, Oliver, Barry, Daly, Allen, Adams, Lavigne, Kohler, Cook, Mack, Stare, Fredricks, Graham, Brown, Carr, Hanley, Mohan, Keary, Mellart, Faulkner, Butler, Meyer, O'Brien, Zeller, Kramer: You are hereby notified that the time for payment of the lien we hold upon your carpets or rugs stored by you in our warehouse having expired, after due notice has been given you, such property will be sold at public auction on Monday, April 20th, 1908, at Floyd Grant & Co.'s auction rooms, 1,574 Broadway, New York, unless charges are paid before.

J. & J. W. WILLIAMS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Manhattan.

List 8,485, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging (New) Elm Street, (Lafayette Street,) from City Hall Place to Great Jones Street; reregulating, regrading, recurbing, and reflagging Pearl Street, from a point 200 feet west of (Old) Elm Street to Centre Street; Leonard Street, from a point 190 feet west of (Old) Elm Street to Centre Street; (Old) Elm Street, from Duane Street to Worth Street; Catharine Street, from Elm Street to a point 100 feet west, and paving (New) Elm Street, from City Hall Place to Great Jones Street, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

Borough of the Bronx.

List 9,522, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches, and erecting fences in Grand Avenue, from Fordham Road to St. James Street.

List 9,524, No. 3. Sewer in East One Hundred and Fortieth Street, between Walnut Avenue and Cypress Avenue.

List 9,551, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches, and placing fences in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street, between Jerome and Walton Avenues.

Borough of Queens.

List 9,464, No. 5. Sewer in Flushing Avenue, from Van Alst Avenue to Cabinet Street, First Ward.

List 9,568, No. 6. Sewer in North Henry Street, between Flushing and Newtown Avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 12, 1908, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

For full particulars see City Record.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,
PAUL WEIMANN,
JAMES H. KENNEDY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary; No. 320 Broadway.

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 9, 1908.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, THIRD Judicial District, Ulster County.—In the matter of the application and petition of J. EDWARD SIMMONS, CHARLES N. CHADWICK, and CHARLES A. SHAW, constituting the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of the City of New York, under Chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Olive, Ulster County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of the City of New York.—Ashokan Reservoir, Section No. 2, Ulster County.

Public notice is hereby given that the First Separate Report of Alanson Page Smith, Isaiah Fuller, and Reginald W. Rives, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of this court, made at a special term thereof, held at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, April 20th, 1907, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster, on the 21st day of February, 1908, and affects parcels numbers seventy (70), seventy-six (76), seventy-seven (77), fifty-eight (58), fifty-four (54), fifty-nine (59), forty-eight (48), eighty-one (81), forty-five (45), seventy-five (75), fifty-five (55), fifty-seven (57), sixty-seven (67), sixty-eight (68), sixty-four (64), sixty-six (66), seventy-eight (78), forty-seven (47), forty-nine (49), seventy-nine (79), sixty-three (63), fifty-two (52), forty-three (43), sixty-nine (69), fifty (50), shown on the map in this proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a special term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, on the 18th day of April, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, March 23d, 1908.

FRANCIS KEY PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel,
Hall of Records,
New York City.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act Senate No. 224, Int. No. 31, A. rep. 1,391, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT

TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER RELATIVE TO THE POWERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THEIR DISCRETION, TO CANCEL AND ANNUL TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, CROTON WATER RENTS, ET CETERA, in CERTAIN CASES.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 13, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 9, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,
Mayor.

This bill will be the first heard at that time.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, the City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1908.

No. 1. For repairing and maintaining sheet asphalt pavements on the streets in the Borough of Manhattan on which the original guarantee of maintenance has expired or will expire during the term of this contract.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President Borough of Manhattan.

The City of New York, April 7, 1908.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH of Manhattan, City Hall, the City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1908.

No. 1. For furnishing and delivering about two thousand (2,000) zinc stencils and about two thousand opal glass.

No. 2. For furnishing and delivering seventy-five (75) cords of pine wood.

No. 3. For repairing tools.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President Borough of Manhattan.

The City of New York, April 3, 1908.

SUPREME COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL DIStrict.—In the matter of the petition of THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of Chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the laws amendatory thereof, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under the said acts.

CORNELL DAM EIGHTH SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDING.

NOTICE OF FILING AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM FIFTEENTH SEPARATE REPORT.

Public notice is hereby given that the Fifteenth Separate Report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on the 16th day of March, 1908.

Notice is further given that the Fifteenth Separate Report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 10½, 15½, 33½, 34, 120, 121, 190, 191½, 515, and building on Parcel No. 507.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House of said Court, in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, New York, on the second day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, April 1st, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, corner of Centre and Chamber Streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS and Electricity, Room 1,536, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1908.
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

For furnishing, delivering, and erecting four (4) water tube boilers, with economizer, steam and auxiliary piping, feed water heaters, and high-pressure drip return system and all foundations, with their appurtenances, complete, in the boiler room of the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street pumping station, Borough of Manhattan.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, April 2, 1908.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act Senate No. 461, Int. No. 94, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT

EMPOWERING AND DIRECTING THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO REFUND ASSESSMENTS MADE UPON PROPERTY FOR ACQUIRING TITLE TO EAST RIVER PARK, BOUNDED BY EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER AND AVENUE B IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Monday, April 13, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 9, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,
Mayor.

This bill will be the second heard at that time.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERtisement in The City Record of April 7 to 21, 1908, of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named road and street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

23D AND 24TH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11. MACOMB'S ROAD—OPENING from its junction with Jerome Avenue, opposite Marcy Place, to Macomb's Road, north of East 170th Street. Confirmed March 5, 1908; entered April 6, 1908. 24TH WARD, SECTION 11. BRYANT STREET—OPENING, from East 176th to East 182d Streets. Confirmed March 3, 1908; entered April 6, 1908.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, April 6, 1908.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, Arsenal Building, Fifth Avenue and Sixty-fourth Street, Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1908.
Borough of Manhattan.

For furnishing and delivering rope for Parks in the Borough of Manhattan.

For full particulars see City Record.

HENRY SMITH,
President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated April 6, 1908.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 12 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1908.

For the privilege of letting boats and selling refreshments (spirituous liquors excepted) from float and boathouse, to be furnished by lessee, near the southerly end of Eastchester Bay Bridge, Pelham Bay Park, for the period of one year.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOSEPH I. BERRY,
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERtisement in The City Record of April 9 to 23, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Assessors and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

3D WARD. CONSTRUCTING TEMPORARY SEWER in ANN STREET, from Avenue B to Heberton Avenue, and in AVENUE B, from Ann Street to Bennett Street.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, April 7, 1908.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERtisement in The City Record of April 9 to 23, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Assessors and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

1ST WARD. 10TH AVENUE, (STEINWAY AVENUE,) west side—REGULATING, GRADING, AND FLAGGING, from Grand Avenue to Vandeventer Avenue.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, April 7, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing Broken Stone (Contract 1,116) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, April 23, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

TAKE NOTICE THAT I, THE UNDERsigned, have no further connection with the firm doing business under the name of NATIONAL STEEL CEILING COMPANY, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by said firm after this date.

Dated March, 1908. THOMAS J. COYLE.

Shipping and Mails

Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..5:28|Sun sets..6:35|Moon sets..3:20

TIDES TO-DAY.

	High Water. A. M.	P. M.	Low Water. A. M.	P. M.
Sandy Hook	3:32	4:18	9:57	10:18
Governors Island	4:19	5:05	10:58	11:16
Hell Gate	6:12	6:58	12:30	12:47

Arrived—Friday, April 10.

SS Lusitania, Liverpool, April 4.
SS Victorian, Liverpool, March 28.
SS Venezia, Palermo, March 29.
SS Franklyn, Barry, March 27.
SS Kasenga, Boston, April 9.
SS Antilla, Cienfuegos, April 3.
SS Helios, Shields, March 23.
SS Trinidad, Bermuda, April 7.
SS Gunther, Barbados, April 2.
SS Comanche, Jacksonville, April 7.
SS City of Columbus, Savannah, April 7.
SS El Dia, Galveston, April 4.
SS Hughenden, Baltimore, April 7.
SS Asuncion de Larrinaga, Manchester, March 24.
SS Massachusetts, Boston, April 9.
SS Monroe, Norfolk.
SS Hamilton, Norfolk, April 9.
SS Aragon, Georgetown, S. C., April 7.
SS Chesapeake, Baltimore, April 9.
SS Pawnee, Philadelphia, April 9.

Outgoing Steamships.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
SAIL TO-DAY.		
St. Paul, Southampton	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Umbria, Liverpool	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Trinidad, Bermuda	8:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Philadelphia, Curacao	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Havana, Havana	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
P. Joachim, Jamaica	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Benedick, Azores	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Mesaba, London	——	8:00 A.M.
Finland, Antwerp	——	11:00 A.M.
Columbia, Glasgow	——	2:00 P.M.
Pretoria, Hamburg	——	1:00 P.M.
Arapahoe, Jacksonville	——	3:00 P.M.
Concho, Galveston	——	12:00 M.
C. of Savannah, Sav'nah	——	3:00 P.M.
SAIL MONDAY.		
Coppename, Guiana	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Advance, Panama	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
Jefferson, Norfolk	——	3:00 P.M.
SAIL TUESDAY.		
Kronp. Cecilie, Bremen	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Bermudian, Bermuda	8:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Obidense, Para	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Pretoria, Hamburg	——	4:00 P.M.
C. of Savannah, Sav'nah	——	3:00 P.M.
Comanche, Jacksonville	——	3:00 P.M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, French, and German transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.		
Hersilia	Seville	Mar. 23
Martello	Hull	Mar. 25
Oregonian	Puerto, Mexico	Mar. 28
Chemnitz	Bremen	Mar. 28
Baltic	Queenstown	April 2
Manuel Calvo	Cadiz	Mar. 30
Monterey	Vera Cruz	April 2
Teresa	Oran	Mar. 26
Castilian Prince	Barbados	April 2
Alamo	Galveston	April 4
Republic	Palermo	Mar. 31
San Giorgio	Gibraltar	Mar. 31
Julia Luckenbach	San Juan	April 6
New York	Southampton	April 4
Lorraine	Havre	April 4
DUE TO-MORROW.		
Minnetonka	London	April 3
Seguranca	Santiago	April 6
Rappallo	Shields	Mar. 29
Trignac	Bordeaux	Mar. 26
City of Everett	Shields	Mar. 28
City of Savannah	Savannah	April 9
Hugin	Tampico	April 4
Huron	Jacksonville	April 9
DUE MONDAY.		
Alice	Palermo	Mar. 30
Hallamshire	Cardiff	Mar. 29
St. Leonards	Antwerp	Mar. 29
Wells City	Swansea	Mar. 29
Maracaibo	Curacao	Mar. 29
San Juan	Porto Rico	April 8
El Mar	New Orleans	April 8
El Cid	Galveston	April 7

Reported by Wireless.

SS Baltic, incoming from Liverpool, was reported by Marconi wireless passing Nantucket at 3:20 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 8 A. M. to-day.

SS Minnetonka, incoming from London, was reported by Marconi wireless 560 miles east of Sandy Hook at noon yesterday; due at her pier about 8 A. M. Sunday.

SS Chemnitz, incoming from Bremen, was reported by Marconi wireless passing Nantucket at 8:15 A. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 8 A. M. to-day.

SS New York, incoming from Southampton, was reported by Marconi wireless 760 miles east of Sandy Hook at 5:30 A. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 8 A. M. Sunday.

SS Philadelphia, outgoing, was reported by Marconi wireless 292 miles west of Brow Head at 3 P. M. yesterday; due at Plymouth about 9 A. M. to-day.

SS Carmania, outgoing, was reported by Marconi wireless 226 miles west of Fastnet at 11:05 P. M. yesterday; due at Queenstown about 8 P. M. to-day.

SS Gascogne, outgoing, was reported by Marconi wireless southwest of Brow Head at 3:25 P. M. yesterday; no distance given.

From Foreign Ports

Arrived.

SS Koenig Albert, at Naples, April 10.
SS Majestic, at Southampton, April 10.
SS Hamburg, at Gibraltar, April 10.
SS Sloterdyk, at Rotterdam, April 10.
SS Ryndam, at Hook of Holland, April 10.
SS Indrawadi, at Chemulpo, April 8.
SS Paula, at Stettin, April 8.
SS American, at Antwerp, April 9.
SS Parima, at St. Thomas, April 10.
SS Cearense, at Para, April 9.
SS St. Laurent, at Havre, April 9.
SS Elbing, at Sydney, N. S. W., April 10.
SS Guthrune, at Rio Janeiro, April 8.
SS Esperanza de Larrinaga, at Montevideo, April 9.
SS Den of Kelly, at Adelaide, April 7.

Sailed.

SS Cedric, from Queenstown, April 10.
SS St. Bride, from Shields, April 9.
SS Inverclyde, from Iloilo, April 9.
SS Camoens, from Barbados, April 8.

Passed.

SS Iroquois, New York for London, passed Brow Head.
SS Crown of Castile, New York for Hamburg, passed Dungeness.
SS Prins Maurits, New York via West Indies, passed Ushant.
SS Koenigin Luise, Naples for New York, passed Fayal.
SS Prinzess Irene, New York for Naples, passed Ponta Ferraria.

Pacific Steamships.

Destination and Steamer.	Mails Close in New York.
Japan, Korea, and China, (specially addressed only,) (via Tacoma)—Antilochus	Apr. 10 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—Shawmut	Apr. 16 6:00 P.M.
Australia, (except West,) New Zealand, Samoan Islands, Fiji Islands, and New Caledonia, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Miowera	Apr. 19 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Hongkong Maru	Apr. 20 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—Iyo Maru	Apr. 23 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, (via San Francisco)—Alameda	Apr. 27 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, Guam, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—U. S. transport	Apr. 30 6:00 P.M.
New Zealand, Australia, (except West,) Samoan Islands and New Caledonia, (via San Francisco)—Australian Mail Line	May 3 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Korea	May 4 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Empress of India	May 6 6:00 P.M.
Tahiti and Marquesas Islands, (via San Francisco)—Mariposa	May 17 6:00 P.M.

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, April 10.—There have been showers from the Gulf States northeastward into New England and the Middle Atlantic States. There were also light, scattered rains and snows elsewhere. It is cooler in the Northwest, and generally warmer elsewhere, except in the south portion of the Middle Atlantic States.

Temperature changes will not be decided. Winds along the New England Coast will be fresh to brisk southwest to west; Middle Atlantic Coast, fresh southwest to northwest; South Atlantic Coast, light to fresh and mostly southwest.

Steamships departing Saturday for European ports will have fresh to brisk southwest to west winds, with cloudy weather, Saturday; fair Sunday to the Grand Banks.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND SUNDAY.

Eastern New York, New Jersey, and Eastern Pennsylvania—Clearing Saturday. Sunday fair; fresh southwest to northwest winds.

New England—Showers Saturday and Sunday; fair and slightly cooler; fresh to brisk southwest to northwest winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1907.	1908.		1907.	1908.
3 A. M.	39	41	4 P. M.	34	50
6 A. M.	39	38	6 P. M.	37	49
9 A. M.	37	45	9 P. M.	36	46
12 M.	40	50	12 P. M.	35	45

This thermometer is 108 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 46; for the corresponding date last year it was 38; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 45.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 43; at 8 P. M. it was 46. Maximum temperature, 53 degrees at 4:05 P. M.; minimum, 38 degrees at 8 A. M. Humidity, 83 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 90 per cent. at 8 P. M.

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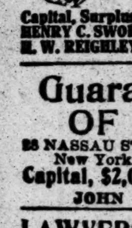

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In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of April, 1908.
LOUIS R. CARAGOL.
State of New York, County of New York, ss.:
On this 8th day of April, 1908, before me personally came Louis R. Caragol, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing certificate, and he acknowledged to me that he executed and signed the same.
G. H. O'DONNELL,
Notary Public, N. Y. Co.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Display Irregularity—Call Money Rates, 1¾@1½ Per Cent.

THE TRADING PROFESSIONAL

Banks Gain Cash on Week's Transactions—Copper Prices Down Again.

In the early part of yesterday's stock market session a determined effort was made to bring about a sustained advance in prices upon the final adjustment of the Erie's financial affairs, but operations connected with this plan were so obviously professional and concentrated upon the floor of the Stock Exchange that the momentary rise attracted no considerable following. In the afternoon the attempt was abandoned, and prices fell back slowly to the morning levels and then below them to quotations which in the majority of cases were rather substantially under those of the previous night. Conspicuous in this unsuccessful movement were a number of the specialties, including General Electric and Consolidated Gas, but these issues retained some of their gains at the end of the trading. The application of the company's attorneys to the United States Circuit Court for the return of some $7,000,000, this representing the difference between the price of gas at 80 cents and $1 per 1,000 cubic feet sold by the company since the eighty-cent gas law became effective, had some bearing, doubtless, on the strength of Consolidated Gas stock. Reports were, of course, general that if the effort to recover the money deposited was successful dividends would be at once advanced from the present 4 per cent. rate. Among other developments possessing more or less interest to financial markets were further reductions in the price of copper metal on the Metal Exchange, and by the more important selling agencies, and rallies in wheat prices on grain markets, where declines have been general and prolonged as a result of the flattering reports regarding the position of the Winter wheat crop.

For the third consecutive day call money rates failed to advance as high as the maximum quotation of 2 per cent., and evidence of the further accumulation of funds here was also to be found in preliminary estimates of the currency movements of the week which foreshadow a cash gain of some $5,000,000, the greater part of this coming from the interior. Whether this gain will be reflected in to-day's bank return will depend largely upon the effect upon the situation of such matters as the Erie financing and other transactions. Bankers were particularly interested yesterday in the progress of the customary mercantile "Spring settlement," which takes place on April 10 and involves payment for goods for the Spring season purchased from Dec. 1 of the preceding year on. Payment of the bulk of such obligations maturing at this time will be generally looked upon as an indication of favorable financial conditions in the mercantile world.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.

Calumet and Arizona Mining Co.
General Electric Co.
Montreal Street Railway Co.
Railway Steel Springs Co.
Street's West Stable Car Line common.
Toledo, St. Louis & Western Railway preferred.
Union Pacific Railroad.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Harlem River & Port Chester Railroad.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call on Stock Exchange collateral loaned at 1½@1¾ per cent., with the last loan at 1¾ per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 1¾ per cent.

Time money loaned at 2½@2¾ per cent. for sixty days, 2¾ per cent. for ninety days, 3@3¼ per cent. for four months, and 3½@3¾ per cent. for five and six months.

Mercantile paper rates, 5@5½ per cent. for four to six months' indorsed bills receivable and choice single names.

Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $197,839,739; balances, $8,616,832; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $1,721,037.

Sterling exchange closed firm, with demand quoted at $4.8665@$4.8670, sixty days at $4.8425@$4.8430, and cables at $4.8685@$4.8695.

Continental bills were quoted as follows: Francs, 5.18¾ less 1-16 and 5.16¼ less 1-32; reichsmarks, 94½ and 95¼ plus 1-16; guilders, 40 3-16.

Exchange on New York at Boston was quoted at 15@16 2-3c discount; Chicago, 50c premium; St. Paul, 50c premium; St. Louis, 40c premium; New Orleans, commercial, 50c discount; bank, 25c discount; San Francisco, 50c premium.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was quoted in London at 25 3-16d per ounce and in New York at 54½c. Mexican dollars were 47c.

CONDITIONS OF TRADE.

The correspondents of the leading commercial weeklies, as their reports are summarized in to-day's issues, have little tangible improvement to show for the week's developments, but the gains of the first quarter of the year are being maintained. Dun's Review says:

Commercial conditions show little alteration, the gains of the first quarter being maintained, but further progress is extremely slow. The weather has favored retail trade in seasonable wearing apparel at most points, and the outlook for future business is brighter because of the almost unanimous reports of satisfactory crop prospects. One result of this good agricultural news was the lowest prices of the season for both wheat and cotton. Manufacturing returns are conflicting, several mills and factories resuming while some others curtailed operations, and the rate of pig iron production at the opening of April was smaller than on March 1 to the extent of 2,000 tons weekly.

Transportation conditions are improving, the number of idle freight cars having decreased 50,000, or about one-seventh, as compared with the point of greatest depression, but railway earnings in March were 14.3 per cent. less than in 1907. Foreign commerce at this port for the last week showed decreases of $554,568 in exports and $8,081,744 in imports, as compared with the movement a year ago.

Bradstreet's says:

Though irregular, the week's developments have been in the direction of improvement. Crop and weather conditions are mainly favorable, a normal Spring season is apparently being experienced, and the wheat crop has come through the Winter practically unimpaired in condition, allowance being made for the area usually abandoned because of weather conditions. So far the early crop and soil conditions are better than a year ago, and the reports of insect damage are conspicuously fewer than in 1907.

CHICAGO STOCK MARKET.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Transactions in local stocks were confined to a few issues, with the greatest attention being given to Chicago Subway shares, which closed at 19¼, after selling up to 19⅝, compared with 18¼ at the opening. Swifts sold up to 99⅝.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Am. Can	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
40	Am. Can pf	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
50	Am. Shipbuilding	41	41	41
1,000	Chicago Subway	19⅝	18¼	19¼
212	Chicago Telephone	119½	117½	118½
10	Chi. & Oak Park Elev.	2	2	2
25	Chi. & O. P. Elev. pf.	8	8	8
52	Com. Edison	92	91	91
126	Diamond Match	125½	125	125½
150	K. C. Ry. & L.	45	44⅞	45
32	Nat. Biscuit pf.	114	114	114
80	National Carbon	57½	57¼	57¼
12	Sears-Roebuck pf	80	79⅝	80
25	South Side Elevated	60	60	60
134	Swift & Co.	99⅝	98¾	[illegible]

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—Friday, April 10, 1908.

Total sales April 10, 1908.......... 611,656
From Jan. 1, 1908.......... 46,215,044
Corresponding date last year.......... 82,402,621

Closing. Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	†Net Change.
7¾	8	100	Allis-Chalmers	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅜
18½	20	800	Allis-Chalmers pf.	20⅞	20⅞	20⅞	20⅞	— ½
59½	59¾	29,100	*Amalgamated Cop.	59	59⅞	58⅝	59⅝	— ⅜
17½	18⅜	700	Amer. Agricul. Chem.	18	18⅜	18	18⅜	+ ⅜
13	13½	1,600	*Amer. Beet Sugar	12	13⅞	12	13⅞	+1⅜
50	50½	700	American Can pf.	50⅝	50⅝	50¼	50¼	...
83½	83¾	900	Am. Car & Foundry	83½	83⅝	83	83½	...
27½	28	10	American Cotton Oil	27½	27½	27¼	27½	...
7½	8	865	*Amer. Grass Twine	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ¼
3½	4	100	Am. Hide & Leather	3½	3½	3½	3½	...
17	17½	1,700	Am. Hide & Leath. pf.	15½	18	15½	17	+1½
21	21½	1,370	Amer. Ice Securities	21½	21½	21	21	— ½
44½	44¾	1,450	*Amer. Locomotive	45⅜	46	44½	44½	—1¼
91	92	400	*Am. Locomotive pf.	91⅝	91⅝	91½	91⅝	+ ¼
70½	70⅝	39,600	*Amer. Smelt. & Ref.	70	71⅞	69⅞	70½	+ ½
76	77	100	*Am. Smelt. Sec. pf. B.	76½	76½	76½	76½	+ ½
88	90	100	*American Snuff pf.	88	88	88	88	+8
80¼	82	100	*Am. Steel Fo. pf. t.r.	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝	+ ⅝
126	126¼	2,550	*Amer. Sugar Ref.	126½	127	126	126	— ½
112½	114	100	Amer. Tel. & Tel.	114¼	114¼	114¼	114¼	+3¼
20	21	400	*American Woolen	21	21	20½	20½	— ½
82	85	100	*Amer. Woolen pf.	84½	84½	84½	84½	+ ½
87⅞	88	8,250	*Anaconda Cop. Min.	87⅞	88⅞	87½	88	+ ½
76½	76⅝	7,600	Atch., Top. & S. F.	76½	77⅞	76½	76⅝	+ ½
86½	86⅞	200	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf.	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝	+ ¼
73	73⅞	4,300	Atlantic Coast Line	72½	74⅝	72½	73½	+1
84¾	84⅞	5,500	Baltimore & Ohio	84⅜	85⅝	84⅜	84¾	+ ⅝
82	86	100	Baltimore & Ohio pf.	83	83	83	83	+1
3⅞	4	500	*Batopilas Mining	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
..	..	100	Bethlehem Steel	13½	13½	13½	13½	...
46½	46⅝	9,750	Brook. Rapid Transit	46⅞	47⅝	46⅜	46⅝	— ⅛
17⅝	20	50	*Butterick Co.	18	18	18	18	...
154¼	154⅝	4,200	Canadian Pacific	155¼	155⅝	154¼	154⅝	—1¼
22	22⅛	6,610	Central Leather Co.	21½	22⅝	21½	21⅞	+ ⅝
88½	89	1,660	Cent. Leather Co. pf.	89	89½	88	88	— ½
32	32⅛	900	Chesapeake & Ohio	32½	32½	32⅛	32⅛	— ½
14	14½	400	Chicago & Alton	13	14	13	14	+1½
5	5½	100	Chicago Gt. Western	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	...
118⅝	118¾	10,900	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	119	119⅝	118⅝	118⅝	— ¾
135½	136	100	*C., M. & St. P. pf. ctfs, 45 per cent. paid	136	136	136	136	...
146½	147½	700	Chicago & Northwest	147½	147⅝	147	147	— ⅜
124½	128	700	Chi., St. P., M. & O.	123	126	123	126	+4
1½	1⅝	100	*Chicago Union Trac.	1½	1½	1½	1½	...
4	5	300	Chi. Union Trac. pf.	4	4	4	4	...
54½	55	100	Clev., C., C. & St. L.	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝	...
23⅞	24	4,750	Colorado Fuel & Iron	24	24½	24	24	— ¼
26⅞	27	2,700	Colorado Southern	27	27½	26⅞	27	...
55½	56	410	Col. South. 1st pf.	55⅝	56	55⅝	55⅝	...
45½	46	700	Col. South. 2d pf.	45½	45⅝	45½	45½	...
17⅞	19¼	800	Colum. & Hock. C. & I.	19	19	19	19	— ¼
119⅜	120	8,400	Consolidated Gas	117¼	120⅝	117¼	119	+1½
14	14⅛	2,100	Corn Products Ref.	13⅝	14⅛	13⅝	14⅛	+ ⅛
65¼	66	500	Corn Prod. Ref. pf.	65	66	65	66	+1
154	155	2,900	Delaware & Hudson	157	157⅝	154	154	—3
81½	82	800	*Distillers' Securities	81⅝	82	81⅝	82	+ ¼
11½	11⅝	500	*Duluth, S. S. & A.	11½	11⅝	11½	11⅝	+ ⅜
18½	19½	10	*Dul., S. S. & A. pf.	19½	19½	19½	19½	...
18⅛	18⅜	16,150	Erie	17¼	18⅝	17	18¼	+1¼
35	35½	3,150	Erie 1st pf.	34	36	34	35	+ ½
23½	25	1,700	Erie 2d pf.	23⅝	25¼	23⅝	25⅛	+1½
71	72	700	Federal M. & S. pf.	71⅛	72	71⅛	72	+1
132	133	1,200	General Electric	133	136	133	133	+2
124¼	124¾	9,930	Great Northern pf.	124⅞	125½	124¾	124¾	— ¼
57½	58	2,700	*G. N. certs. ore prop.	57	58⅝	57	57⅞	+1
9⅛	9⅜	8,300	Interborough-Met	8⅝	9½	8⅝	9½	+ ⅜
25¼	25½	10,600	Interborough-Met. pf.	23¼	25½	23⅛	25¼	+1½
19	20	400	Int. Merc. Marine pf.	20	20	19½	19½	...
8¼	9	100	Internat. Paper	8½	8½	8½	8½	...
23½	24	300	Int. Steam Pump	23¼	23⅜	23¼	23⅜	— ⅛
70½	71	100	Int. Steam Pump pf.	71	71	71	71	...
12¼	12½	230	Iowa Central	12⅛	12½	12⅛	12½	+ ¼
32	33	250	Iowa Central pf.	32¼	32½	32¼	32½	+ ½
60	60⅝	129	K. C., Ft. S. & M. pf.	60½	60½	60½	60½	—1
22⅞	23	200	Kan. City Southern	23½	23½	23½	23½	— ⅛
52⅝	53	400	Kan. City South. pf.	53	53	52⅝	52⅝	— ⅛
100⅞	101	1,500	Louisville & Nash	100½	102	100½	101⅛	+2⅛
60½	62	100	Mackay Cos.	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞	+ ⅛
27⅞	29	350	*Met. Street R'way	25⅞	29⅞	25⅞	29⅞	+3⅝
16⅝	17	7,000	Mexican Central	17⅛	17⅛	16⅜	16⅜	—1
23½	24½	200	Minn. & St. Louis	24¼	24½	24¼	24½	...
111	112	695	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	113	113	111½	111½	—3
24⅞	24⅞	1,000	Mo., Kan. & Texas	25	25¼	24⅞	25¼	+ ¼
59⅝	59½	600	Mo., Kan. & T. pf.	59	59⅞	59	59¾	+ ½
44⅞	45	10,100	Missouri Pacific	45⅜	46½	44⅜	45	— ⅜
10⅛	10½	450	Nat. Enam. & Stamp.	9½	10	9½	10	...
56¼	56⅝	4,800	*Nat. Lead Co.	56¼	57	56¼	56½	+ ¼
95½	96½	100	*Nat. Lead Co. pf.	96	96	96	96	...
66	68	100	*N. Y. Air Brake	67	67	67	67	— ⅝
98½	99	8,700	New York Central	98⅞	99⅜	98½	98½	— ½
34½	35	1,400	N. Y., Chi. & St. L.	33½	35	33½	34½	+1½
133	134	100	N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	133⅞	133⅞	133⅞	133⅞	+ ⅝
32½	33¼	100	N. Y., Ont. & West.	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛	+ ¼
64½	65½	1,250	Norfolk & Western	65	65¼	64½	64½	+ ¼
53⅞	54	1,185	North American	53⅜	54	53⅛	53⅞	+ ¾
126	126¼	13,600	Northern Pac., ex d.	126½	127¼	126	126⅛	— ½
114⅛	114⅝	3,000	*N. P. rects., 62½% pd.	114	114⅝	114	114⅝	— ⅜
75	76	300	Pacific Coast	75	75⅝	75	75⅝	+1
26½	27	1,100	Pacific Mail	26	26⅜	26	26½	— ⅛
117½	117¾	9,070	Pennsylvania R. R.	117⅞	118	117½	117⅞	— ½
89½	90	2,000	People's Gas, Chi.	89⅝	90½	89⅝	89⅝	— ⅞
69	71	50	P., C., C. & St. L.	69	69	69	69	...
40½	41	100	Pittsburg Coal pf.	40½	40½	40½	40½	...
24	24½	200	Pressed Steel Car	24⅞	24½	24⅞	24½	— ⅛
153	154	300	Pullman Company	153⅛	154	153⅛	154	+3
33	33¼	600	*Ry. Steel Sp., ex div.	32¾	33	32¾	33	+1
105⅝	105⅞	116,560	Reading	105⅞	107	105⅝	105⅝	— ¼
80	82½	100	Reading 1st pf.	81½	81½	81½	81½	— ½
18½	18⅝	890	*Rep. Iron & Steel	18⅛	18½	18¼	18½	...
68½	69	1,545	*Rep. Iron & Steel pf.	69	69	68⅞	68⅞	— ¼
15¼	15⅝	1,620	Rock Island Co.	15⅝	15⅝	15¼	15¼	— ½
28½	28⅝	8,700	Rock Island Co. pf.	28¼	29½	28¼	28⅞	— ¼
14¼	15	200	St. Louis Southwest'n	14½	14½	14½	14½	...
34½	35	200	St. L. Southwest'n pf.	34½	34½	34½	34½	— ⅝
44	44½	500	Sloss-Shef. S. & Iron	45¼	46	44½	44½	...
74¼	74⅜	9,000	Southern Pacific	74⅛	74⅝	74	74⅛	...
111½	112½	212	Southern Pacific pf.	112¼	112¼	112¼	112¼	...
14⅞	15	8,900	South. R'way ext.	14¾	15½	14¾	14⅞	+ ¼
40½	40⅞	1,100	South. R'way pf., ext.	41⅞	41⅞	40½	40½	+ ½
41⅜	41⅞	2,200	*Tennessee Copper	42¼	42½	41⅞	41⅞	—1⅛
17½	18¼	1,100	Texas & Pacific	18	18½	18	18¼	— ½
33	35	8,480	Third Avenue	81½	86	81½	85	+ ⅝
40⅝	40⅞	400	T., St. L. & W. pf., x d.	40½	40⅝	40½	40⅝	+5
85	86	100	Twin City R. Transit	85½	86	85½	86	— ¼
5	6¼	1,100	*Union Bag & Paper	6	6¼	6	6¼	+1½
128⅛	128¼	126,550	Union Pacific	128½	129½	127⅞	128⅛	+ ⅛
79	80	200	Union Pacific pf.	80	80	79⅞	79⅞	— ¼
19	22	300	United R'ways Inv.	18½	19	18½	19	— ½
25	25⅝	115	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	25	25	25	25	+ ⅜
98	100	200	*U. S. Leather pf.	98	98	98	98	+ ⅜
20	20⅝	250	U. S. Rubber	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	+ ½
82½	83	650	U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	85	85	82⅝	82⅝	+1¼
49	50	420	U. S. Rubber 2d pf.	49½	49½	49	49	+ ⅝
34¼	34⅜	88,200	U. S. Steel	34⅞	34⅞	34⅛	34⅜	...
98⅜	98½	1,810	U. S. Steel pf.	98⅝	99	98½	98½	— ⅛
30⅛	30⅞	2,400	*Utah Copper	30⅞	31¼	30½	30½	— ½
19½	20	200	Va.-Caro. Chemical	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	— ½
90½	92	100	Va.-Caro. Chem. pf.	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞	+ ¼
10½	10⅝	100	Wabash	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅜
17⅞	18	600	Wabash pf.	18⅜	18⅜	17⅞	17⅞	+ ⅛
55¼	55½	4,780	Westinghouse E. & M.	53½	57¼	53½	55½	— ½
13	14½	300	Wheel. & L. E. 1st pf.	14½	14½	14	14	+2
Total		610,706						

*Unlisted. †From last previous sale, based on 100-share lots.

MINING STOCKS.

		Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Change.
..	..	250	Alice	2.50	2.50	2.37½	2.37½	...
..	..	100	Comstock	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	...

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, April 10.—Copper shares are stronger in tone, but are held back somewhat by reason of the weakness in the metal. Butte Coalition advanced to 2, while the liquidation that has been in evidence in North Butte for the last few days seems to have subsided, and the stock ran up to 54. The feature in the general list was the strength in local investment securities. The market closed steady and with stocks in good demand.

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$13,000	Am. T. & T. 4s	79⅞	79½	79½
321,000	Am. T. & T. cv. 4s	83	82	82⅞
8,000	A., T. & S. F. 4s	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞
8,000	C., B. & Q. joint 4s	94⅛	94	94
5,000	C., B. & Q. jt. 4s, reg.	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
7,000	C. & W. Mich. 5s	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜
15,000	Gen. Elec. conv. 5s	117½	117½	117½
11,000	K. C., Ft. S. & M. 6s	115½	115½	115½
5,000	N. E. Cot. Yarn 5s	95	95	95
18,000	Western T. & T. 5s	87	84⅛	87

RAILROADS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
185	Atchison	77⅞	76⅞	77
128	Boston Elevated	135	135	135
50	Boston Suburban	11¼	11¼	11¼
108	Boston & Albany	201	200	201
8	Boston & Lowell	210	210	210
17	Boston & Maine	136	136	136
10	C. J. R. & S. Y. pf.	109	109	109
129	Fitchburg pf.	127	126	127
292	N. Y., N. H. & H.	134	133¼	133⅞
18	Old Colony	187½	187	187
1,764	Union Pacific	129⅛	128	128⅛
415	West End	87¼	86⅞	87
8	West End pf.	104	104	104

TELEPHONES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
3,881	*American	114½	112⅞	118½
20	Mexican	1½	1½	1½
452	Mexican pf.	6	5½	6
549	N. E. ex rights	111⅛	109½	110
7,612	N. E. rights	99c.	73c.	99c.
156	Western	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
180	Western pf.	66	64⅞	66

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Am. Ag. Chemical	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
7	*Am. Ag. Chem. pf.	82¼	82	82¼
110	Am. Pneumatic	5½	5¼	5½
50	Am. Pneumatic pf.	13¼	13¼	13¼
1,729	*Am. Sugar Ref.	126⅞	125⅞	125⅞
20	*Am. Sugar Ref. pf.	123	123	123
30	Am. Woolen	20½	20	20
34	*Am. Woolen pf.	84¾	84	84¼
16	Edison	210	210	210
193	*Gen. Electric	135	133	133½
540	Mass. Gas	52¼	51¼	52
545	Mass. Gas pf.	86	86	86
146	Pullman	154	153	153⅞
40	*Reece	9	9	9
170	Swift	99⅝	99	99⅝
535	*United Fruit	126⅞	124½	126½
385	United Shoe	47½	47	47
17	United Shoe pf.	27½	27¼	27¼
4,015	U. S. Steel	34⅞	34¼	34¼
185	U. S. Steel pf.	99⅛	98⅜	98⅜

MINING.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
5,142	Amalgamated	60	59	59⅛
100	Am. Zinc	23½	23½	23½
30	*Anaconda	38	38	38
200	Atlantic	9¼	9¼	9¼
380	Bingham	95c.	75c.	75c.
731	Boston Cons.	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
630	Butte Coalition	21⅛	20½	20⅞
68	Cal. & Arizona	100¼	100	100¼
10	*Cal. & Arizona	100	100	100
80	Centennial	22	21¼	21¼
100	Cons. Mercur	36c.	36c.	36c.
634	Copper Range	65⅞	65¼	65¼
110	Franklin	7⅞	7	7
1,650	Greene-Cananea	8⅞	8¼	8¼
100	Guanajuato	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
1,271	Isle Royale	20⅛	19⅛	20¼
233	La Salle	13½	13½	13½
20	Mass	3	3	3
35	Mexico	6¼	6¼	6¼
55	†Michigan	11¼	11¼	11¼
75	Mohawk	48¼	47⅞	48
20	New Idria	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
100	Nevada	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
992	North Butte	54	53⅛	53⅜
120	Old Colony	65c.	50c.	65c.
350	Old Dominion	35⅞	35	35
155	Parrot	13	13	13
220	Shannon	12	11⅞	11⅞
95	St. Mary's Land	50	50	50
30	Tamarack	61½	61½	61½
40	Trinity	14	13⅞	13⅞
465	U. S. Oil	20¼	20	20
170	*U. S. Smelting	37	36½	36½
168	*U. S. Smelting pf.	39⅝	39½	39½
635	*Utah Cons	39¼	38¾	38¾
130	Utah Copper	31¼	31	31¼
10	Victoria	3	3	3

*Ex dividend. †Assessment paid.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

WHEAT.—Drought conditions in Western Kansas and Nebraska were serious enough to counteract bearish conditions elsewhere yesterday, when highest prices of the day were reached in the afternoon. The market was very nervous, and all Western points reported a big trade. The interior movement showed 182 cars reported at Northwest points, against 536 last year, and the total was but 281,000 bushels, compared with 688,000 bushels a year ago. Seaboard clearances of wheat and flour aggregated 256,000 bushels. A decline of ⅞ to 1¼d at Liverpool and weakness in Continental markets were reported. Exporters bought 6 loads. Cash wheat in New York closed as follows: No. 2 red, 98½c, elevator, and 99c, free on board, afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.08¾, and No. 2 hard Winter, $1.06¾, free on board, afloat.

CORN.—Trade was active near the close. The interior movement was very light. Liverpool closed ¼d lower, exporters took 2 loads, and seaboard clearance amounted to 117,000 bushels. No. 2 corn in New York was quoted at 76¾c, elevator, and 70¼c, free on board, afloat; No. 2 white, 70½c, free on board, afloat.

FUTURES.

NEW YORK PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Thurs. Close.
Wheat—				
May	99	97¾	98⅞	97⅝
July	93⅛	91⅞	93	92
Corn—				
May	76⅝	76⅜	76⅞	76
July	..	..	73⅜	72⅞

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Thurs. Close.
Wheat—				
May	91⅝	89⅝	91⅛	89⅞
July	85	85⅞	84⅞	85⅛
September	85⅝	82⅞	85⅛	82⅛
Corn—				
May	67⅞	67⅛	67⅞	67
July	64⅞	64	64⅞	64
September	63⅜	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞
Oats—				
May	53⅛	52⅛	53⅛	52⅛
July	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	45⅛
Lard—				
May	$8.87	$8.85	$8.85	$8.87
July	8.60	8.55	8.57	8.57
Ribs—				
May	7.20	7.15	7.17	7.17
July	7.45	7.40	7.40	7.40
Pork—				
May	13.47	13.35	13.35	13.47
July	13.80	13.65	13.65	13.75

PITTSBURG TRANSACTIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, April 10.—The following were the transactions on the local Exchange to-day:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Crucible Steel	5¼	5¼	5¼
50	Fire Proofing	8	8	8
20	Fire Proofing pf.	14	14	14
15	Mfrs. L. & H.	12	11½	12
209	Ohio Fuel	84¼	84¼	84¼
275	Pittsburg Brewing	18	17⅞	17⅞
70	Pittsburg Brewing pf.	38	38	38
10	Pittsburg Coal pf.	40	40	40
500	Pittsburg Con.	.13	.13	.13
50	Pittsburg Plate Glass	94	94	94
50	Sewer Pipe	11¼	11¼	11¼
30	Shoshone	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
910	Tonopah Ext.	$1.25	$1.10	$1.12
10	Union Switch	73	72	73
55	U. S. Steel	34¾	34¼	34¾
2	U. S. Steel pf.	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
10	Westing. Elec. 3ds	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝

BONDS.

TRANSACTIONS IN BONDS.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Friday, April 10, 1908.

U S 3s, cpn, 1908-18
500.......101
Impri Jap Gov 4½s, sterl loan
8,500.......86
5,000.......86
2d series
2,000.......85⅞
1,000.......85⅝
4s, sterl loan
8,000sf.......77
Repub of Cuba 5s
10,000.......101¼
U S of Mexico 5s
5,000.......98
Vir 6s defd, Brown Bros & Co ctfs
10,000.......29
N Y City 4½s, 1957
88,000.......107¼
8,000.......107
N Y City 4½s, 1917, temp recpts
21,000.......102⅝
4,000.......102½
N Y City 4½s, 1957, temp recpts
76,000.......106⅝
2,000.......106⅝
57,000.......106⅝
8,000.......106⅝
10,000.......106⅝
Adams Express 4s
500.......87
Am Tobacco 6s
3,000.......103⅛
28,000.......103⅝
5,000.......103⅜
20,000.......103⅜
50,000.......103⅜
1,000.......103⅜
Am Tobacco 4s
10,000.......68⅞
12,000.......68⅞
10,000.......68⅝
10,000.......68⅞
1,000.......68⅞
1,000.......68⅝
1,000.......68⅞
1,000.......68⅞
1,000.......68⅞
42,000.......68⅞
15,000.......68¾
10,000.......69
2,000.......68⅞
At, T & S F gen 4s
5,000.......96⅝
500.......97
adjmt 4s, stmpd
2,000.......86⅝
5,000.......86⅝
conv 5s
2,000.......97⅝
16,000.......98
5,000.......98⅛
4,000.......98⅝
conv 4s
10,000.......88⅝
Atl Coast Line 4s
2,000.......84⅝
10,000.......85
8,000.......84⅝
7,000.......85
Atl Coast Line, Lo & Nash col 4s
8,000.......75
8,000.......75½
Balt & O gold 4s
1,000.......97½
Balt & Ohio, P, L E & W V 4s
1,000.......89
2,000.......89¼
B R Tr ref conv 4s
5,000.......70⅝
30,000.......70⅝
63,000.......70⅝
1,000.......70⅞
10,000.......70½
45,000.......70¼
2,000.......70⅜
10,000.......70½
10,000.......70½
25,000.......70⅜
18,000.......70⅞
89,000.......71
25,000.......70⅞
25,000.......70¾
34,000.......70⅞
Can So 1st 5s, J P M & Co tr recpts
21,000.......106¾
11,000.......106½
3,000.......106⅝
Cen of Ga Ry con 5s
5,000.......104¼
Cent Leather 5s
10,000.......91¼
7,000.......91
2,000.......91¼
8,000.......91⅛
Cen of N J gen 5s
3,000.......124
Cent Pacific gtd 4s
2,000.......95⅝
8,000.......96
Chi, B & Q joint 4s
21,000.......93¼
17,000.......93½
Ill div 4s
28,000.......99⅞
8,000.......99½
Chi, Mil & St Paul gen 3½s, Ser B
5,000.......87⅝
30,000.......87⅝
Chi & N W gen 3½s
1,000.......92⅝
Chi, R I & P gen 4s
1,000.......96
Chi, R Isl & P Ry refundg 4s
32,000.......85
Chi, R I & P R R 4s
20,000.......63
1,000.......62¾
12,000.......63
Colo Industrial 5s
5,000.......54
1,000.......54½
Col & So 1st 4s
1,000.......88
ref & ext 4½s
11,000.......77⅞
18,000.......77¾
22,000.......77½
10,000.......77⅝
C Gas Co con deb 6s
10,000.......117⅝
2,000.......118
2,500.......118
5,000.......119
5,000.......119½
5,000.......119⅞
4,000.......120
10,000.......120¼
3,000.......119½
5,000.......120
1,000.......119½
Del & Hud conv 4s
11,000.......98
Det, Mac & Mar land grant 7s
1,000.......46¼
Dis Sec Corp 5s
15,000.......69½
5,000.......69⅝
5,000.......69⅞
4,000.......70
East Tenn, Va & Ga con 1st 5s
1,000.......104¼
Erie 1st con 7s
1,000.......118¾
Erie 1st gen 4s
15,000.......68
5,000.......68¼
7,000.......68⅞
15,000.......68⅝
1,900.......68⅝
5,000.......69
Erie conv 4s, Ser A
31,000.......54
10,000.......54½
10,000.......54
43,000.......54½
1,000.......54¾
2,000.......55
Series B
19,000.......50¾
50,000.......51
Gen El con deb 5s
2,000.......116
500.......117
500.......117
Gr Bay & Wn deb ctfs B
13,000.......11
6,000.......11⅛
6,000.......11⅞
5,000.......11⅞
1,000.......12
5,000.......11⅞
Inter-Metro 4½s
16,000.......62
1,000.......61⅜
1,000.......61⅞
7,000.......61⅞
29,000.......61⅞
10,000.......61⅞
45,000.......61⅞
66,000.......61⅞
25,000.......61⅞
10,000.......61⅞
25,000.......61⅞
5,000.......62
5,000.......61⅞
20,000.......62
27,000.......61⅞
2,000.......61⅞
5,000.......61⅞
8,000.......61⅞
26,000.......61⅞
6,000.......62
1,000.......61⅞
1,000.......62
5,000.......61⅞
25,000.......62
10,000.......61⅞
18,000.......61⅞
20,000.......61⅞
15,000.......62
7,000.......62¼
3,000.......62¼
10,000.......62¼
14,000.......62
15,000.......62¼
1,000.......62⅜
12,000.......62¼
2,000.......62⅜
42,000.......62¼
7,000.......62⅜
7,000.......62¼
13,000.......62⅜
42,000.......62¼
5,000.......62⅜
5,000.......62⅜
1,000.......62⅜
10,000.......62⅜
Inter-Metro 4½s
25,000.......62⅞
12,000.......62⅞
20,000.......62⅞
7,000.......62⅞
10,000.......62⅞
42,000.......63
20,000.......62⅞
62,000.......63
6,000.......63¼
11,000.......63
6,000.......62⅞
5,000.......62⅞
10,000.......62⅞
57,000.......62⅞
25,000.......63⅛
5,000.......63⅛
7,000.......63⅛
25,000.......63
8,000.......63¼
41,000.......63
10,000.......62⅞
20,000.......62⅞
1,000.......62⅞
67,000.......62⅞
10,000.......62⅞
10,000.......63
Int Mer Marine col trust 4½s
2,000.......68
3,000.......68½
Int Stm Pump 6s
1,000.......92¼
Iowa Cent ref 4s
5,000.......75¼
K C, Ft S & M 4s
3,000.......67⅞
Kan City So 3s
2,000.......70
Kings Co Elev 4s stamped gtd
2,000.......79¾
3,000.......79⅝
2,000.......80
2,000.......79¾
Laclede Gas Lgt of St L 1st 5s
3,000.......103⅝
L E & Wn 1st 5s
1,000.......108⅛
L Sh & M So 4s
6,000.......91⅝
1,000.......91⅞
1931
47,000.......91⅝
3,000.......91⅝
10,000.......92
Leh & N Y 1st
2,000.......95⅝
Long Island ref 4s
5,000.......86
Lo & N unified 4s
8,000.......96¼
4,000.......96⅞
Met St gen 5s
11,000.......80
Mex Cent con 4s
15,000.......82¼
12,000.......82½
1,000.......82⅞
53,000.......82⅝
14,000.......82¾
8,000.......82½
9,000.......82
5,000.......82⅝
Mex Cent 1st inc
4,000.......17
Mex Cent 2d inc
30,000.......15¾
10,000.......16⅜
10,000.......16⅝
10,000.......16⅞
25,000.......17
10,000.......16⅜
5,000.......17
Mo, K & T 1st 4s
5,000.......96
Mo, K & T 2d 4s
5,000.......80¼
M, K & T s f 4½s
11,000.......74
4,000.......74¼
11,000.......74½
5,000.......74¾
Mo Pac 1st col 5s
1,000.......90
N Y Cen & Hud R, Lake Sh col 3½s
15,000.......77¼
M C col 3½s
6,000.......75
N Y G, E L, H & P col trust 5s
8,000.......93
1,000.......93¼
10,000.......94
pur money 4s
15,000.......76¼
25,000.......76⅝
N Y, N H & H cnv deb 6s, sub ctfs 1st instal paid
16,000.......120⅝
5,000.......120⅛
5,000.......120⅝
N Y, N H & H cnv deb 6s, sub ctfs full paid
8,000.......123
5,000.......123¼
Norf & Wn cnv 4s
20,000.......81⅝
Norf & Wn, Pocah C & C 4s
3,000.......84⅝
Northn Pacific 4s
1,000.......99⅞
5,000.......100
500.......100⅛
Nor Pacific gen 3s
5,000.......71
Ore Sh L gtd ref 4s
2,000.......88⅞
Pac Coast 1st 5s
3,000.......103¼
Penn conv 3½s
2,000.......95¼
Penn conv 3½s, 1915
11,000.......91⅞
1,000.......91⅞
10,000.......91⅝
Reading gen 4s
3,000.......96¼
1,000.......96⅛
St L, Iron Mt & So gen 5s
2,000.......103⅛
St L & San Fr R R refundg 4s
35,000.......69
3,000.......69¼
35,000.......69
St L Sthwn cons 4s
11,000.......60¼
1,000.......60⅜
4,000.......60⅛
1,000.......60⅝
St Paul, Min & M, Dak ext 6s
2,000.......105⅝
Montana Cent 5s
1,000.......111½
1st con 6s, reduc to 4½s
3,000.......105⅝
San An & A P 4s
5,000.......80
So Pac 1st ref 4s
5,000.......88⅝
33,000.......89
36,000.......89½
Southn Ry 1st 5s
1,000.......90½
9,000.......91
6,000.......91¼
1,000.......91½
1,000.......91
2,000.......91½
3,000.......91⅞
10,000.......91½
5,000.......91⅝
Tenn Coal, Ir & R, Birm div 6s
1,000.......105
Tex & Pac 1st 5s
2,000.......106½
Third Av con 4s
46,000.......63
1,000.......62⅞
Third Av con 4s, Cen Tr Co ctfs stamped
15,000.......60
79,000.......61
17,000.......60¼
10,000.......61
1,000.......60⅞
1,000.......60¾
10,000.......60
Tol, St L & W 4s
8,000.......70
prior lien 3½s
4,000.......85
Union Pac 1st 4s
22,000.......100
Union Pac cnv 4s
2,000.......85
10,000.......84⅞
88,000.......85
500.......84½
35,000.......85⅛
5,000.......85¼
10,000.......85⅜
21,000.......85
Un Rys of St L 4s
1,000.......78½
U S Steel Corp skg fund 5s
1,000.......95¼
11,000.......95⅛
12,000.......95¼
13,000.......95¼
4,000.......95⅜
20,000.......95¼
1,000.......95⅛
107,000.......95¼
10,000.......95⅜
Wabash 1st 5s
1,000.......106¼
2,000.......107
Wab ref & ext 4s
7,000.......45
7,000.......45¼
12,000.......45⅛
6,000.......45⅜
12,000.......45½
Wab, Pitts Ter 1st
42,000.......45
Wab, Pitts Ter 2d
3,000.......10⅝
2,000.......10⅞
10,000.......10⅜
52,000.......10⅛
21,000.......10¼
Westingh El & Mfg 1st conv s f 5s
5,000.......75
1,000.......74⅜
Wis Cent gen 4s
10,000.......82

Total sales April 10, 1908.......$4,240,500
From Jan. 1, 1908.......281,709,520
Corresponding period last year.......163,589,400

Weekly Failure Report.

Bradstreet's reports 258 failures in the United States during the week, against 247 for the previous week and 194, 161, 196, and 198 for the corresponding weeks of 1907 to 1904. The Middle States had 86, New England 40, Southern 52, Western 45, Northwestern 14, Far West 21, and Territories 0. Canada had 28, against 39 for the preceding week. About 85 per cent. of the total number of concerns failing had capital of $5,000 or less, and 11 per cent. had from $5,000 to $20,000

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Better Tone in Trading with More Active Market at Higher Levels.

COPPER STOCKS RECOVER

Issues Which Have Declined in Recent Markets Close with Substantial Gains After Active Trading.

Stocks were decidedly stronger on the Curb yesterday, with an increased volume of business at the rising prices. Those coppers which have been weak for several days past made substantial recoveries, and the upward movement in the Nevada Gold stocks was continued. Goldfield Consolidated sold up to 6, which was the closing price after transactions of 24,400. Cumberland-Ely and Nevada Consolidated each made substantial gains on the day's trading. The shares of the new Miami Copper Company also closed higher. The price moved between 4⅞ and 5⅝, closing at 5¼ after reported transactions of 5,850.

The principal transactions reported yesterday in the outside market, with opening, high, low, and last prices, were as follows:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
40	Am. Tobacco	305	305	305	305
800	Bay State Gas	¾	15-16	¾	¾
57	Eng. Marconi	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
100	N. Y. Trans.	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
4	R. B. Pow. pf.	92	92	92	92
8	Standard Oil	539	539	539	539

RAILROAD.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
400	Chi. Subway	18½	19	18½	19

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,800	Alaska M. Sec.	9-16	9-16	½	9-16
500	†At. Goldfield	27	27	27	27
231	Bam.-Delamar	1⅞	2¼	1⅞	2¼
500	Barnes-King	¾	¾	¾	¾
200	Boston Copper	11½	11½	11¼	11½
1,808	Butte Coalit'n	20½	21¼	20⅝	21
11,000	†Cobalt Central	27	28	27	28
609	†Com. Fraction	70	70	70	70
1,800	Con. Ariz. Sm.	5-16	⅜	5-16	⅜
4,200	C.-Ely Mining	8	8⅜	8	8¼
250	D.-D. Estate	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
200	Dom. Copper	2	2	2	2
150	Douglas Cop.	5⅛	*5¼	4⅞	4⅞
400	El Rayo	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
800	Florence	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
5,000	†F. Creek Cop.	14	17	14	17
200	Gen. Mines	2⅝	2½	2⅝	2½
24,400	Goldfield Con.	5 13-16	6	5⅞	6
1,000	†Gold. Daisy	1.33	1.38	1.36	1.36
1,000	Greene-Can	8⅛	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜
100	Greene G.-S.	½	½	½	½
30	G. G.-S. pf.	1½	1½	1½	1½
100	Greene Gold	½	½	½	½
5	Guggen. Exp.	158	158	158	158
150	M. Exp. & M.	*8	8⅛	8	8⅛
5,850	*Miami Cop.	4⅞	5⅝	4⅞	5¼
1,500	Micmac Mines	4⅛	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜
200	M. Co. of A.	1⅝	1½	1⅝	1½
200	Mont.-Sho.	2⅝	2⅝	2 11-16	2 11-16
5,800	Nev. Con. Cop.	11	11⅝	11	11⅝
700	N. U. M. & S.	4	4	3⅞	4
1,100	Nip. M. Co.	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
1,850	N. B. Ext.	1⅝	2	1⅝	1⅞
4,600	P. Wyoming	81½	85	81½	83
4,000	Pitts. S. P.	1.15	1.35	1.15	1.35
100	Silver Q.	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03
100	Stewart	15-16	15-16	15-16	15-16
110	S. & Pitts.	*12½	12⅝	12½	12⅝
200	Tintic Min.	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
8,800	Tonopah Bel.	1⅜	1 7-16	1⅜	1 7-16
600	Tonopah Ext.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,500	†Tonopah Mid.	65	73	65	73
1,000	Ton. M. of N.	8 3-16	8⅜	8⅛	8⅛
11,500	Tramps Con.	25	27½	23	24
1,000	†Triangle	9	9	8⅞	9
6,800	Tri-Bullion	1 15-16	1 15-16	1 13-16	1⅞
20	Trin. Cop.	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
800	Union Mines	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
385	United Cop.	6⅞	*7	6⅞	6⅞
7,500	Yukon G. M.	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
10,000	Cons. Stp. 4s	11½	11½	11½	11½
60,000	C. S. S. 4s, rs.	11½	11⅝	11½	11½
175,000	Erie n. 6s, nts.	95¼	95⅝	95	95
1,000	N. Con. C. 6s	120	120	120	120
4,000	T., St. L. & W. C. tr. 4s, w. i.	72	72¼	72	72¼

*Odd lots. †Sells cents per share.

The bid and asked prices at the close of the market yesterday compare as follows with those of Thursday:

	April 10. Bid.	Asked.	April 9. Bid.	Asked.
Am. Chicle	183	190	183	190
Am. Tobacco	300	305	300	310
Am. Writing Paper	1⅝	2⅛	1⅝	2½
Am. Writ. Paper pf.	18	21	18	21
Bay State Gas	15-16	1	15-16	1
Boston Copper	11¼	11½	11⅛	11⅝
British Columbia Cop.	4¼	4⅝	4⅛	4⅝
Butte Coalition	20½	21	20½	20⅝
Butte-New York	2	2¼	2	2¼
Cobalt Central	27	28	27	28
Combination Fraction	69	71	69	71
Central Foundry	1⅛	2	1½	2
Central Foundry pf.	7	8	7	8
Chicago Subway	18⅝	19	18⅝	19¼
Cumberland-Ely Min.	8¼	8⅝	8	8¼
Davis-Daly	3½	3⅞	3	3½
Dominion Copper	2	2 1-16	2	2⅛
Goldfield Con.	5⅞	6	5⅝	5⅞
Goldfield Daisy	137	140	136	138
Greene-Cananea	8⅛	8⅝	8⅛	8⅝
Greene Gold-Silver	5-16	½	5-16	½
Greene Gold-Silver pf.	1½	1⅝	1⅛	1⅝
Guggenheim Explor.	155	158	155	165
Havana Tobacco	7	8	7	9
Havana Tobacco pf.	16	19	16	19
International Salt	10¼	11½	10¼	11½
Manhattan Transit	2⅛	2⅝	2⅛	2⅝
Micmac Mines	4¼	4⅝	4⅛	4⅜
Mines Co. of America	1⅜	1½	1⅜	1½
Nevada Copper	11⅜	11½	11	11⅛
Nevada-Utah M. & S.	3⅞	4	3⅞	4
Otis Elevator	28	35	28	33
Otis Elevator pf.	78	82	78	82
Standard Milling pf.	28	30	28	30
Standard Oil	537	539	535	539
Tri-bullion	1⅞	2	1⅞	2
United Copper	6½	7	6⅜	7¼
United Copper pf.	21	31	21	31
Yukon Gold Mines	4½	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks to-day were as follows:

Alta	.01	Julia	.05
Alpha Con.	.07	Justice	.03
Andes	.20	Kentucky Con.	.05
Belcher	.59	L. Washington Con.	1.22
Best & Belcher	.03	Mexican	.16
Bullion	.16	Occidental Con.	2.72
Caledonia	.12	Ophir	.09
Challenge Con.	.09	Overman	.05
Chollar	.48	Potosi	.34
Confidence	.55	Savage	.06
Con. Cal. & Va.	.01	Sag Belcher	.40
Con. Imperial	.54	Union Con.	.44
Crown Point	.11	Utah Con.	.02
Gould & Curry	.35	Yellow Jacket	.38
Hale & Norcross	.10		

Silver bars, 54¼; Mexican dollars, 51@52¼; drafts, sight, 4@5 cents premium; telegraph, 6@7½ cents premium.

TONOPAH.		Diamondfield	.17
Belmont	1.87	Goldfield C. Mines	5.92
Golden Anchor	.04	Jumbo Extension	.32
Jim Butler	.31	Kendall	.20
McNamara	.31	Lone Star	.09
Midway	.66	May Queen	.04
Montana	1.80	Red Hills	.27
Ohio	.01	Sandstorm	.37
Tonopah Extension	1.15	St. Ives	.30
West End	.39	Silver Pick	.19
GOLDFIELD.		MANHATTAN.	
Adams	.04	Jumping Jack	.02
Atlanta	.25	BULLFROG.	
Blue Bell	.08	Bullfrog Nat. Bk.	.09
Comb. Fraction	.68	Gold Bar	.16
Crackerjack	.08	Homestake King	.33
Daisy	1.37	Montgomery Mt.	.14
		Tramps Cons.	.22

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing quotations for Government bonds and for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r., 1930	103⅝	104
2s, c., 1930	104	..
3s, r., 1918	100¾	101½
3s, c., 1918	101	102
3s, 1918, sm.	100¾	..
4s, r., 1925	120½	121¼
4s, c., 1925	122½	..
Panama 2s	102⅝	103¼
Adams Exp.	168	177
Am. Ag. C. pf.	78	82¼
A. B. S. pf.	70	76
Am. Can	4⅜	4½
Am. C. & F. pf.	90½	93½
Am. Coal	120	150
A. C. O. pf.	82	85
Am. D. Tel.	..	39
Am. Exp.	180	190
Am. L. Co.	7¾	10
Am. L. Co. pf.	19¼	22¼
Am. Malt	5½	6
Am. M. pf.	82	85
A. S. & R. pf.	95¼	96½
Am. Snuff	175	240
Am. St. Fd.	5	5½
A. S. R. pf.	122	124
A. T. & C.	52	65
A. Tob. pf.	88½	90
Ann Arbor	20	30
Ann A. pf.	70	80
Beth. S. pf.	35	38
B. Un. G.	110	120
Bruns. City	8	9
B., R. & P.	78	105
B., R. & P. pf.	86	..
B. & S. pf.	..	65
Canada So.	58⅞	61¼
C. C. & C.	..	60
C. R. R. of N. J.	171	175
C. & S. A. Tel.	95	110
C. & A. pf.	35	49
C., B. & Q.	150	240
C. & E. Ill. pf.	..	150
Chi. Gt. W. pf. A	20	28
Chi. Gt. W. pf. B	6⅞	7
Chi. Gt. W. deb.	41	50
C., I. & L. pf.	40	80
C., M. & St. P. 45% pd.	112½	114
C., M. & St. P. pf.	145	150
C. & N. W. pf.	185	200
C., St. P., M. & Om. pf.	145	165
Chi. T. T.	2½	5
C. T. T. pf.	10	20
C., S. & C. pf.	100	..
C., C., C. & St. L. pf.	94	105
C. F. & I. pf.	35	60
Consol. Coal	..	90
C. R. & L.	61½	..
Cuba R. R. pf.	35	40
D., L. & W.	475	485
D. & R. G.	20⅝	20⅞
D. & R. G. pf.	54	60
D., M. & Ft. D.	7	12
Det. South.	2	6
Det. S. pf.	15	40
Det. U. Ry.	31	..
Ev. & T. H.	65	80
Ev. & T. H. pf.	80	100
F. M. & S.	51	81
Fed. S. pf.	89½	92
Gen. C. Co.	50	65
Gen. C. Co. pf.	83	90
G. & S. T.	100	110
Granby Con.	93	95
Gt. N. cts., full paid	124½	126
Hav. E. R.	19	..
H. E. R. pf.	63¼	67
Hock. V. r.	70	78
Hock. V. pf.	70	75
Homestake	73	74
Ill. Central	124	125¼
Inger.-R.	40	..
Ing.-R. pf.	80	..
Int. M. M.	7	12
Int. P. pf.	54	56
Internat. P.	34	37
K. & M. r.	25	31
K. & D. M.	8	8
Lacl. Gas	..	100
H. & B. M. pf.	15	30
Lacl. G. pf.	80	100
L. E. & W.	13	18
L. E. & W. pf.	36	45
Lake Shore	275	..
Long Island	32	35
Mackay Cos. pf.	64½	66
Mah. C. R.	230	..
Man. Beach	3	6
Man. Elev.	123¼	127
Md. C. pf.	75	..
Mich. Cent.	125	175
M. S. T. pf.	..	90
M. & St. L. pf.	63	68
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pf.	128	135
N. C. & St. L.	104	108
Nat. Bis.	77½	78⅜
Nat. B. pf.	114	115
Nat. En. pf.	70	78
N. R. R. of Mex. pf.	49½	51
N. R. R. of M. 2d pf.	14	19
N. Cent. C.	26	50
N. M. & S.	6¼	6⅝
N. Y., C. & St. L. 1st pf.	88	95
N. Y., C. & St. L. 2d pf.	63½	67
N. Y. D. Co.	26	..
N. Y. D. Co. pf.	71	..
N. Y. & N. J. Tel.	103	107
N. & W. pf.	70	80
Ont. Min.	3	3½
P. C. 1st pf.	70	100
P. C. 2d pf.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peo. & E.	12	15
P., C. C. & St. L. pf.	87	93
Pitts. Coal	[illegible]	[illegible]
P. S. C. pf.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Quicksilver	[illegible]	[illegible]
Q'ksil'r pf.	1	5
R. R. Sec. Ill. Cent. stock ctfs.	..	84¾
R. S. S. pf.	[illegible]	90
Rdg. 2d pf.	[illegible]	81
Rens. & S.	180	[illegible]
R., W. & O.	114	[illegible]
Rutland pf.	27	30
St. L. & S. F. 1st pf.	45	..
St. L. & S. F. 2d pf.	25⅝	29
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. ctfs.	120	—
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. new ctfs.	45	60
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. pf. ctfs.	..	130
S.-S. S. & I. pf.	80	95
Texas Cent.	40	..
Tex. C. pf.	70	[illegible]
T. P., L. Tr.	59	[illegible]
T., P. & W.	16	[illegible]
T. R. & L.	3⅞	6
T., St. L. & West.	17⅛	[illegible]
U. B. & P. pf.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. C. M. pf.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. R. I. pf.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. C. I. Pipe pf.	65¼	[illegible]
U. S. Exp.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Leath.	8	13
U. S. R. & Imp't	40	41
U. S. R. & Ref.	6⅞	9
U. S. R. & Ref. pf.	21⅛	24
Vand. R. R.	..	88
Va. L. C. & Coke	47	50
Vulcan Det.	3¼	5½
Vul. D. pf.	20	..
W.-F. Exp.	250	300
West. Md.	6⅛	7⅛
West. U. T.	52½	54
Westingh'se 1st pf.	70	85
W. & L. E.	5¼	6⅛
W. & L. E. 2d pf.	6	7⅜
Wis. Cent.	14	15½
Wis. C. pf.	36	39½

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

Friday, April 10, 1908.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
12,900	Amal. Copper	59¼	59⅞	59	59⅝
410	Am. Car & F.	33⅜	33½	32⅞	33
830	Am. Ice	21½	21⅝	21½	21⅝
460	Am. Locomo've	45⅝	46	44⅝	44⅝
18,510	Am. Smelting	70⅛	71⅝	69⅞	70⅝
670	Am. Sugar	126	127	126	126
10	Allis-Chalmers	8	8	8	8
260	Anaconda Cop.	87⅝	88⅝	87½	87⅝
780	A., T. & S. F.	76⅝	77½	76½	76½
100	Balt. & Ohio	84⅝	85½	84⅝	85
2,020	Brook. R. T.	46⅝	47⅝	46⅜	46⅝
60	Can. Pacific	155⅛	155⅛	154	154
270	Cent. Leather	21⅝	22⅛	21⅝	22⅛
50	Ches. & Ohio	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛
1,230	C., M. & St. P.	119¼	119⅝	118⅝	118⅝
1,390	Col. Fuel & I.	24⅛	24⅛	23⅞	23⅞
40	Col. Southern	27½	27½	27	27
20	Dist. Securit's	82	82	82	82
1,820	Erie	17	18⅝	17	18¼
40	Erie 1st pf.	36	36	34½	35
10	Erie 2d pf.	25	25	25	25
670	Gt. North. pf.	124⅝	125¼	124⅝	124⅝
800	Inter.-Met	8⅝	9⅛	8⅝	9⅛
960	Inter.-Met. pf.	23⅞	25⅝	23⅞	25¼
140	Louis. & Nash.	100⅝	101⅛	100⅝	101⅛
180	Mex. Central	17⅛	17⅛	16⅞	17⅛
20	M., K. & T.	25	25¼	25	25¼
1,880	Mo. Pacific	45⅝	46½	44⅝	45
300	Nat. Lead	56⅞	57⅛	56⅝	56⅝
250	N. Y. Central	98⅝	99⅛	98⅝	98⅝
1,240	Nor. Pacific	126⅝	127¼	126⅛	126⅛
100	Pacific Mail	26½	27	26½	26½
960	Pennsylvania	117⅞	118⅛	117⅝	117⅝
70	Pressed S. Car	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
23,700	Reading	105⅞	107	105⅝	105⅞
210	Rep. Steel	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
60	Rep. Steel pf.	69⅛	69⅛	69	69
810	Rock Island	15⅝	15⅝	15¼	15¼
240	Rock Island pf.	28⅝	29⅛	28⅝	28⅝
790	South. Pacific	74⅝	74⅝	74¼	74¼
180	Southern Ry.	14⅞	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞
30	South. Ry. pf.	40	40⅝	40	40
20	Tenn. Copper	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
10	Texas Pacific	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
41,270	Union Pacific	128⅝	129½	128	128⅝
8,980	U. S. Steel	34⅜	34⅞	34⅛	34⅜
230	U. S. Steel pf.	98⅝	99	98⅝	98⅝
30	Utah Copper	31	31	31	31
10	Wabash	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
120,020					

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
400	Blue Bell	.09½	.09½	.09½	.09½
600	Best & Bel.	.60	.60	.59	.59
300	Con. Cal. & V.	.44	.45	.44	.45
200	Comstock	.24	.25	.24	.25
400	Caledonia	.19	.20	.19	.20
1,000	El Paso	.31	.31	.31	.31
950	Goldfield Con.	5.75	5.87½	5.75	5.87½
800	Gould & Curry	.10	.10	.10	.10
900	Gold. Daisy	1.35	1.36	1.35	1.36
1,500	May Queen	.09	.09	.09	.09
1,800	Mont. Mt	.14	.15½	.14	.15½
300	Mexican	1.05	1.07	1.05	1.07
400	Portland	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
500	Silver Pick	.21	.21	.21	.21
8,400	Tramps Con.	.27½	.27½	.24½	.24½
12,950					

BOND.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Comstock 4s	17	17	17	17

WHEAT.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
605,000	May option	90	91¼	89⅞	91¼

THE TREASURY BALANCES.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—National bank notes received to-day for redemption, $1,513,344; Government receipts from internal revenue, $751,568; customs, $830,558; miscellaneous, $318,439; expenditures, $2,400,000.

The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

RESERVE FUND.

Gold coin and bullion.......$150,000,000

TRUST FUNDS TO REDEEM OUTSTANDING CERTIFICATES.

Gold coin	$839,319,869
Silver dollars	453,998,000
Silver dollars of 1890	5,214,000
Total	$1,298,531,869
General fund	177,310,557
Deposits in National banks	204,569,045
In Philippine Treasury	3,680,291
Awaiting reimbursement	319,839
Current liabilities	126,502,478

NEW LOAN

$3,271,000

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

3½% BONDS

VARIOUS MATURITIES 1909 to 1948

Tax Exempt in Massachusetts

PRICES AND PARTICULARS UPON APPLICATION.

A. B. Leach & Co.

149 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, N. Y.
CHICAGO PHILADELPHIA BOSTON

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Chart Players Interested.

Yesterday was a field day for the chart players. In every office there was some one likely to be able to impart impressive information with regard to the significance of double tops, explaining to the uninitiated the exact meaning of the suggestion conveyed by these mysterious references. There are many persons who ridicule chart players, but become, nevertheless, extremely uneasy when the market appears to verify the suggestions of those who believe in the recurrence of certain movements and their significance. Union Pacific was particularly subject to close scrutiny, yesterday, and when it passed 129 there were many uncomfortable shorts, their discomfort being based on the possibility of the verification of the things which they professed to ridicule. The subsequent advance to 129½ simply intensified the uncertainty, but in the late trading when weakness developed, there was a development of strenuous courage and facetiousness at the expense of those who play the game by rule. Those who traded directly on the floor, members doing a personal business only, differed very much in their expressed opinions, both as to the character of the buying in the period of strength, and the character of selling during the recession.

Character of Commission Business.

Suggestions are made by casual observers that there is an improvement in commission business, and this is partly true, although the intimation that there is a development of public interest is not warranted by the facts. It is often pointed out that the semi-professional traders of the financial district should not be confused with the genuine public, and should be classed really with professional traders. Just at the moment there is considerably greater activity among this particular class than for some time, but their trading is more or less momentary, and they are likely to change their attitude on any development which does not appear to sustain their immediate position. It must not be supposed, however, that there is not a beneficent result for some brokers from this kind of trading. Some of the $2 men notice not only an improvement, but comparatively satisfactory monthly returns. One such broker said yesterday that last month his commission bills amounted to $2,000, entirely satisfactory to him.

Aldrich Bill Indifference.

No great sorrow was manifested in the financial district over the dispatches from Washington which showed the situation in the House of Representatives with regard to the Aldrich bill, and the probability of its defeat. Probably the banking fraternity has followed developments with special interest, but the speculative fraternity which ought to be interested to a very substantial extent has at no time shown any keen desire or anxiety for the enactment of the measure into law. There was not any actual opposition, rather an apathetic position, negative and indifferent. It might be assumed that this was because there was an imperfect knowledge of the bill, its purpose and effectiveness, but that is scarcely so, for the very good reason that many of the investment houses have supplemented the newspaper explanations with elaborate comparisons of all of the financial bills, and most of the wire houses have been in a position to let their inquiring customers know every detail concerning any of the measures. Some brokers actually opposed the bill on the ground that it was not scientific, but the majority appeared to be simply indifferent, assuming that as a panacea it was overrated.

Quick Change of Attitude.

"As far as I can see, there is nothing in the situation which would warrant a bull market at present. I know it is perfectly true that many of those who are bearish are bearish because they believe the Erie matter is a depressing influence, and they assume that it will have an unsatisfactory ending. So far as that is concerned I do not know, nor do I care. I believe that many of the fundamental factors are adverse, and that they are not likely to be improved forthwith. Consequently, a distinctly good stock market is to my mind out of the question." That is an extract from a letter written by a member of a brokerage house to one of his partners ten days ago, while he was out of town on vacation. This is what he said yesterday in another letter to the same partner: "With the Erie matter out of the way there is no good reason why the stock market should not improve. Pessimism that is not susceptible to solution is foolish." This is clearly a case of a bad memory.

Copper Metal Affairs.

Ordinarily, the statement that the banks had gained a considerable amount of cash would have had a beneficial influence on the market. It was ignored yesterday, and similar estimates on Fridays have been ignored for many weeks. The prospect of a good bank statement has no influence at the moment. Inasmuch as the surplus is comfortably large, there is no likelihood of any material contraction in speculative funds, and the speculative situation itself is not likely to complicate the money market. It is a question whether the announcement of a general reduction in copper prices was a factor in the market, inasmuch as the copper stocks reacted in practically the same proportion as the rest of the list, and it was taken for granted that the copper news was, at least, not an influence in Reading or Union Pacific or other standard railroad stocks. There was a little talk of the chances of gold exports, but for the same reason that the bank statement is ignored this gossip failed of special effect. The strength of Consolidated Gas could very easily be attributed to the possibility of the company obtaining the surplus moneys on deposit with the United States Court, and for that reason there was no mystery about the movement of the stock.

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

At the Metal Exchange yesterday all grades of copper were reduced ⅛c, bringing lake down to 12.75@12.87½c, electrolytic 12.62½@12.75c, and castings to 12.37½@12.50c.

In the London market both spot and futures declined 15s from the last prices of Thursday, the closing prices being £57 15s for spot, and £58 5s for futures. Pig tin closed weak at a loss of 5s for spot and 10s for future, at £144 5s and £142 10s, respectively. Lead was weak at £13 15s. Spelter was off 2s 6d, at £21 5s. Iron warrants were lower at 51s for standard foundry, and 52s 3d for Middlesboro.

The closing bid and asked prices of copper and other metals for spot delivery on the New York Metal Exchange yesterday compare as follows with those of the previous day:

	Friday. Bid.	Friday. Asked.	Thursday. Bid.	Thursday. Asked.
Lake	12.75	12.87½	12.87½	13.00
Electrolytic	12.62½	12.75	12.75	12.87½
Castings	12.37½	12.50	12.50	12.62½
Lead	3.95	4.00	3.95	4.00
Spelter	4.60	4.70	4.60	4.70
Tin	81.62½	81.87½	81.90	82.12½

COLORADO MINING STOCKS.

Special to The New York Times.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., April 10.—The following were the closing quotations on the local Exchange to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	51¼	53	Isabella	33	33¾
[illegible]	21	23	Portland	100	103
[illegible]	15¼	15½	Vindicator	78	85
Findlay	25	30	Work	11½	12

STOCKHOLDERS FAVOR SYNDICATE PLAN

Fifty Per Cent. of National Bank of North America Stock for Proposed Liquidation.

KNICKERBOCKER MAY AID

Trust Company Likely to Act in Conjunction with the Syndicate Having the Matter in Hand.

While those in charge of the negotiations were unwilling yesterday to discuss the details of the proposed plan to liquidate the National Bank of North America, it was learned that a number of the largest stockholders are in favor of it, and that about 50 per cent. of the stock has already agreed to accept the proposal. C. W. Morse is understood to have assented to the arrangement.

No confirmation was to be had of the report that the Wall Street house of Charles D. Barney & Co. was interested in the negotiations, but this was not denied. Another report was that the Knickerbocker Trust Company would act in conjunction with the syndicate having the matter in hand, as the Metropolitan Trust Company is acting in the case of the Oriental Bank.

It is understood that it is a question of a short time only before a plan to reopen the International Trust Company, at Broadway and Fulton Street, will be brought forward.

Charles A. Hanna, receiver of the National Bank of North America, in a petition, asks the Judges of the Circuit Court of this district to allow him to sell as assets of the bank a certificate of interest in the New York Clearing House Association Building, valued at $15,100; 150 shares of the capital stock of the Tenth and Twenty-third Street Ferry Company, carried on the bank's books as worth $4,500, and $12,000 par value of 5 per cent. bonds of the William Campbell Wallpaper Company, carried on the bank's books as worth $12,000.

Receiver Hanna in his petition says that the Controller of the Currency has authorized these sales.

THE COTTON MARKET.

Advances on a Narrow Trade—Closes Steady 2 to 4 Points Up.

Cotton made higher prices yesterday, but advances were checked by continued good weather and reports that Southern spinners in convention at Charlotte would decide on further curtailment, if not complete shut-downs. The close was steady at a net advance of 2@4 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 3@5 points, and during the early session sold 4 to 9 points higher.

Supt. King's weekly total crop movement figures follow: Port receipts, 7,545,872, against 9,221,221 last year; overland to mills and Canada, 606,431, against 1,043,455 last year; Southern mill takings, 1,689,000, against 1,801,000 last year; stock at interior towns in excess of Sept. 1, 334,360, against 331,235 last year; brought into sight thus far for season, 10,175,163 bales, against 12,396,911 last year.

The total crop movement is for 228 days this year, against 224 last year.

The range of contract prices in the local market was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Thursday's Close.
April	..	..	9.26@9.30	9.22
May	9.41	9.32	9.36@9.37	9.33
June	9.42	9.42	9.40@ ..	9.33
July	9.46	9.33	9.34@9.35	9.37
August	9.38	9.29	9.32@9.35	9.32
September	9.31	9.31	9.37@9.38	..
October	9.40	9.31	9.36@9.38	9.33
November	9.30	9.30	9.37@9.39	9.32
December	9.41	9.32	9.39@9.40	9.34
January	9.40	9.35	......	9.35
March	..	..	9.40@9.42	9.37

The local market for spot cotton was quiet, with prices 10 points higher at 10.25 for middling upland and 10.50 for middling Gulf. Sales nil.

Southern spot markets were telegraphed as follows: Savannah quiet, unchanged at 10⅛c; sales, 235 bales. Norfolk steady, unchanged at 10⅝c; sales, 861 bales. Augusta steady, ⅛c higher at 10⅝c; sales, 1,082 bales. Little Rock nominal, unchanged at 9¾c. Galveston quiet, 1-16c lower at 10 5-16c; sales, 484 bales. New Orleans very steady, unchanged at 10¼c; sales, 4,750 bales. Houston steady, unchanged at 10¼c; sales, 84 bales. Memphis quiet, unchanged at 10¼c; sales, 450 bales.

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.—The local market continued in good shape to-day. Total sales, 84,274.

Sales.	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Last.
5	Am. Railways Co.	43	43	43
43	Bell Tel.	92¾	92¾	92¾
10	Brooklyn R. T.	47½	47½	47½
792	Cambria Steel	29⅞	29¼	29⅞
100	Cons. Traction N. J.	65½	65½	65½
182	Electric Co. of Am.	9¼	9⅛	9¼
800	Erie	18⅝	17½	18⅝
5	Frankford & S. Pass.	380	380	380
490	Lake Sup. Corp. t c.	9¼	8¼	8⅝
3,215	Lehigh Valley	57¼	56⅞	57
100	Lehigh V. T. pr. t c.	12	12	12
12	Lehigh Nav.	85	85	85
100	Marsden	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
450	Pennsylvania	59	58¾	58 11-16
106	Phila. co. pr.	37	37	37
1,294	Phila. Electric	8	7⅞	7⅞
780	Phila. Rapid Transit	17⅝	17½	17⅝
61	Phila. Traction	87	86½	87
12,677	Reading	53¼	52 15-16	53
105	Reading 2d pf.	40½	40 7-16	40 7-16
1,805	Tonopah Belmont	1 7-16	1¼	1 7-16
2,775	Tonopah Mining	8 5-16	8⅛	8 3-16
150	Union Pacific	128⅞	128¾	128¾
668	Union Traction	53⅝	53	53
61	United Cos. of N. J.	240	240	240
3,786	U. G. I.	80	79⅝	79¾
20	U. S. Rubber 2d pf.	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
5,080	U. S. Steel	34⅝	34¼	34⅝
2	U. S. Steel pf.	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
100	Warwick Steel	7½	7½	7½

Central New England Bond Dividend.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 10.—In the last annual statement of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company it was announced that the rehabilitation of the Central New England Railway Company's property had so far advanced as to permit the payment of a rate of interest upon its general mortgage bonds from the net earnings for the year ending June 30, 1908.

The net earnings of the company have been turned into the repair of the Poughkeepsie Bridge, resulting last year in a total deficit of $647,568. The repairs being completed, the deficit is turned into a surplus after operation, and will probably allow an interest rate of about 4 per cent. upon the $7,250,000 of general mortgage income 5 per cent. bonds, due in 1949, outstanding. Of these bonds the New Haven Company now owns $6,318,123.

PARAMOUNT IN THE FINANCIAL FIELD.

In the first quarter of 1908 The New York Times printed over 22% more financial advertising than any other newspaper in the world.

In March, The New York Times printed over 20% more financial advertising than any other newspaper, morning or evening, and was the only New York newspaper to show a gain as compared with the corresponding month of last year.

THE EUROPEAN MARKETS.

Happenings of a Day in London, Paris, and Berlin.

LONDON, April 10.—Money was in good demand and dearer on the market to-day. Discounts were firmer in the expectation that Paris would withdraw more gold in exchange for maturing bills.

The settlement on the Stock Exchange was concluded without any trouble. Business for new account was moderate and the tone firm. The success of the County Council loan helped gilt-edged securities, but home rails yielded to realizations. The relapse in the price of copper weakened copper shares, but Amalgamated recovered in the afternoon. American securities were quietly steady in the morning. Erie monopolized attention, went considerably over parity, and strengthened the rest of the list fractionally. The afternoon sentiment was cheered by the steady New York opening, accompanied by fair buying orders for Erie, Atchison, Topeka, & Santa Fé, and Union Pacific, which made the close firm. Canadian Pacific was rather easy.

Bar silver quiet, 25 3-16d per ounce.

Money, 2@2¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2½@2⅝ per cent.

PARIS, April 10.—Trading on the Bourse to-day was heavier upon the rumors in London that the Amalgamated Copper Company had lowered the price of copper by £2 per ton.

Three per cent. rentes, 96 francs 55 centimes for the account.

Exchange on London, 25 francs 12 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, April 10.—Trading on the Boerse to-day was quiet and prices were irregular. American securities were firm.

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

Following are yesterday's quotations for several European State and municipal securities:

	Bid.	Asked.
German consol 3½s	90¾	91¼
German consol 3s	81⅛	82¼
Bavarian Government 4s	99¼	100
Hessian Government 3½s	90⅛	91
Saxony Government 3s	81½	82
Hamburg Government 3s	80⅞	81¼
City of Cologne 4s	98	99
City of Munich 4s	98	99
City of Augsburg 4s	97¾	98½
City of Frankfort-on-Main 3½s	90½	91
Mexican Government gold 5s	100¾	101¼
Russian Government 4s	83	84
French rente 3s	96	97
British consol 2½s	87	87¾

LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing prices in London yesterday for American stocks, comparisons being made between the New York equivalents and the previous New York closing:

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols, money	87 5-16	..	..	—1-16
Consols, account	87¼	..	..	—1-16
Anaconda	7⅛	35⅝	35¾	— ⅛
Atchison	79	76⅞	76¼	+ ⅝
Canadian Pacific	157¼	154¾	155⅝	— 1
St. Paul	122½	119	118⅞	+ ⅛
Erie	18	17½	16¾	+ ¾
Erie 1st pf.	35½	34½	33⅞	+ ⅝
Illinois Central	128	124½	..	..
Louis. & Nash.	102½	99⅝	99½	+ ⅛
N. Y. Central	102	99½	98⅞	+ ⅝
Pennsylvania	60½	117½	117¾	— ¼
Reading	54¾	106½	106	+ ½
Southern Pacific	76½	74⅜	74⅝	— ¼
Union Pacific	132½	128⅞	128¾	+ ⅛
U. S. Steel	35½	34½	34½	..
U. S. Steel pf.	101½	98⅜	99	— ⅝

THE COFFEE MARKET.

The coffee trade was once more largely in the way of switching from near to late positions yesterday, and the later months maintained an advance of 5 points, the close being steady, net unchanged, to 5 points higher. Sales for the day, including exchanges, were reported of 44,000 bales.

The market opened steady at a partial advance of 5 points. The French market was unchanged to ¼f higher, and Hamburg showed a partial advance of ¼ pfennig at the local opening. Neither of the Brazilian markets reported any change. Receipts at Sao Paulo, according to morning cables, were only 8,100 bags, against 11,100 the previous day and 41,000 last year. The two ports had 19,000 bags, against 49,000 last year. Jundiahy receipts were 8,000 bags, against 27,000 last year.

Spot coffee was quiet; 6c for Rio No. 7.

The range of contract prices in the local market was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Thurs. Close.
April	...	...	5.65@5.70	5.65
May	5.70	5.70	5.65@5.70	5.65
June	...	...	5.70@5.75	5.70
July	5.75	5.75	5.75@5.80	5.70
August	...	...	5.75@5.80	5.75
September	5.80	5.80	5.80@5.85	5.75
October	...	...	5.80@5.85	5.75
November	...	...	5.85@5.90	5.80
December	5.90	5.90	5.90@5.95	5.85
January	...	...	5.90@5.95	5.85
February	...	...	5.90@5.95	5.90
March	6.00	6.00	5.95@6.00	5.90

NEW YORK INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 10.—The following companies were incorporated to-day:

Roting Manufacturing Company, New York, (manufacture art works;) capital, $100,000. Directors—Louis Malthaner, Edward M. Neary, and Raphael Brill, 87 Wall Street, New York.

Elverton Land Company, North Hempstead, L. I.; capital, $50,000. Directors—Francis A. Huck, 576 Echo Place; James B. Kilburn, 142 West Ninety-fourth Street; Charles A. Voetsch, 526 and 528 West 147th Street, New York.

Lester & Lester, New York, (clothing;) capital, $50,000. Directors—Lester Cohn, 409 East 107th Street; Lester Osterman, 42 West Ninety-second Street; Arnold Wolff, 100 West 119th Street, New York.

Italian Importing Company, New York; capital, $50,000. Directors—Andrew Cuneo, Church Street, Richmond Hill, L. I.; Frank A. Zunino, 105 Park Row; Michael A. Rofrano, 9 Oliver Street, New York.

Jones Novelty Company, New York; capital, $30,000. Directors—Samuel Jones, 480 Belmont Avenue, East New York; S. J. Marks, 1,239 Madison Avenue; Lewis Lewin, 1,925 Madison Avenue, New York.

Sayville Realty Company, New York; capital, $30,000. Directors—Edward H. Vines and C. Raymond Smith, 508 West 135th Street, New York; William R. Mickel, 44 Briggs Avenue, Richmond Hill, L. I.

Taghkanick Hotel Company, New York; capital, $100,000. Directors—Benjamin F. Hamilton, 227 West 135th Street; John B. Garrison, 115 East Seventy-first Street; Eugene H. Porter, 181 West Seventy-third Street, New York.

Electricity Publishing Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—E. Leavenworth Elliott, 12 West Fortieth Street; John G. Jackson, 35 Wall Street; Joel B. Liberman, 319 West 116th Street, New York.

Gas Publishing Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—E. Leavenworth Elliott, 12 West Fortieth Street; John G. Jackson, 35 Wall Street; Joel B. Liberman, 319 West 116th Street, New York.

B. and M. Hotel Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Morris Berman, 1,990 Seventh Avenue, New York; Morris Michtom, 136 Sumter Street; Aaron Cone, 397 Christopher Avenue, Brooklyn.

Oestreicher Realty Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Carl Oestreicher, Isaac Oestreicher, and William Oestreicher, 451 Sixth Avenue, New York.

John E. Craig Company, Brooklyn, (real estate;) capital, $5,000. Directors—John E. Craig, Joseph M. Murphy, and Walter J. Hineson, 44 Court Street, Brooklyn.

Broadwalk Realty Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—James H. Griffith, Jr., Lynbrook; Harry A. Fisher, Long Beach, N. Y.; Stephen S. Tuthill, 225 Fifth Avenue, New York.

Fulton Watch, Clock, and Jewelry Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Robert Schwerter and Julius A. Bottstein, 52 Fulton Street; Lester S. Abberley, 220 Broadway, New York.

Yale Metal Seal Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Bradford Yale, 217 Jefferson Avenue, Brooklyn; Paul Vondrann, 542 West 149th Street; Henry U. Hart, 35 Nassau Street, New York.

Magic Tucker Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Henry W. Elliot, 237 105th Street; H. E. Wheeler, 434 Broadway; Simon Lesser, 14 Morningside Avenue, New York.

United Leather and Findings Company, New York; capital, $4,000. Directors—Louis B. Horwitz, 409 East Fifth Street; Jacob Stein, 160 East Houston Street; Israel Stone, 132 East Broadway, New York.

Strashun Book Company, New York; capital, $3,000. Directors—Alexander Strashun, 63 and 65 East 118th Street; Harry Goldstein, 160 East 119th Street, New York; Abraham Lipkind, Bergen Street, Brooklyn.

Charles Nucciarone Undertaking Company, New York; capital, $2,000. Directors—Charles and Maggie Nucciarone, 105 Thompson Street; Antonio Provenzano, 107 Thompson Street, New York.

Authors' Bureau, Babylon, L. I.; capital, $1,000. Directors—G. M. W. Kobbe, Gustav Kobbe, and Carolyn W. Kobbe, Babylon, N. Y.

Manhattan Disinfecting Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Rudolph Knoepfle, 157 East Eighty-ninth Street; Blanche Hennessey, 1,048 Fifth Avenue; John C. Giesler, 336 East Forty-third Street, New York.

Increased Capital.

Buffalo House Wrecking and Salvage Company, from $6,000 to $50,000. Attorney, Willard W. Saperston, Mutual Life Building, Buffalo, N. Y.

Kilpatrick Lumber Company, from $2,500 to $10,000. Attorney, William H. Janes, 10 Wall Street, New York.

Little Russian Co-operative Association of Yonkers, from $20,000 to $50,000. Attorney, George N. Rigby, 45 Warburton Avenue, Yonkers, N. Y.

Artistic Post Card and Novelty Company, from $1,000 to $5,000. Attorney, Philip Ordover, 302 Broadway, New York.

Dissolution.

Akron Cement Works, Secretary, Eugene D. Brown, Scottsville, N. Y.

C. M. SCHWAB OPTIMISTIC.

He Looks for No Cut in Steel Prices Under Present Conditions.

Charles M. Schwab, President of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, has added his voice to that of Judge E. H. Gary of the United States Steel Corporation in assuring the trade that there is no cut in steel prices to be expected. He says all important interests are lined up to maintain prices, and that the stability of prices, of which the trade has been dreaming for years, seems to be now actually realized.

"I regard the present depression as of a temporary nature," said Mr. Schwab. "Such depressions are characteristic of the steel market and must be looked for, but they always right themselves in the long run. There is, therefore, no cause for alarm, for with this country in its present prosperous condition, the steel market is as certain to recover as the sun is sure to rise.

"I see no indications whatever of any inclination on the part of any one engaged in the steel business to reduce or cut under competitors in the matter of prices in the near future, or for months to come. Personally I would not favor any reductions from the present basis for years to come."

METAL EXCHANGE COMMITTEE

New Directors Make Concessions to the Minority Members.

Concession was made to the dissatisfied minority on the New York Metal Exchange yesterday by the newly elected Directors, who enlarged the Quotation Committee. The Copper Quotation Committee will now include a jobber, an exporter, and a producer of copper.

The make-up of the committees for the ensuing year, as announced yesterday, is as follows:

Copper—Berthold Hochschild, American Metal Company; Stanton, Michigan Copper Company; L. Vogelstein, L. Vogelstein & Co.; Harmon W. Hendricks, Hendricks Brothers.

Tin—Messrs. Koning, Baerwald, Hall, and Groves.

Lead—Messrs. Hochschild, Steinan, and Langeloth.

Spelter—Messrs. Vogelstein, Hochschild, and Elkan.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE STOCKS.

The principal transactions reported yesterday in the stock department of the Produce Exchange, with opening, high, low, and last prices, were as follows:

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,000	Cobalt Central	.27	.27	.27	.27
100	Silver Queen	$1.04	$1.04	$1.04	$1.04
100	Greene G.-S. c.	.87½	.87½	.87½	.87½
100	Great Bend	.71	.71	.71	.71
750	Silver Pick	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½
2,050					

The bid and asked prices in the principal issues at the close of the market were:

LISTED SECURITIES.

	—Closing.— Bid.	Asked.
Franklin Mills pf.	..	100
*Standard Asbestos Co.	..	100
UNLISTED SECURITIES.		
Beaver Superior Min., Ltd.	.65	.75
TEMPORARY TRADING LIST.		
Alaska Treadwell	24.00	24.50
Helvetia	2.75	3.25
Superior & Pittsburg	12.37½	12.62½
Troy Manhattan	.65	.70
Furnace Creek	.15	.16
Greenwater & Death Valley	.04	.08
Oroville Dredging	3.00	3.50
British Columbia	4.25	4.75
Dominion Copper, Limited	2.00	2.12½
Buffalo Mines	1.50	2.50
Cobalt Central	.26½	.27½
Foster Cobalt	.58	.67
Green-Meehan	.12	.15
Hanson Cons. Sil., Ltd.	..	1.62½
McKinley-Darragh	.65	.75
Nipissing	6.50	6.75
Silver Queen, Limited	1.04	1.12½
Trethewey	.58	.65
Camp Bird	3.25	3.75
El Paso	.30	.33
Old Hundred	.50	.75
Portland Gold	1.00	1.05
Tomboy Gold	7.25	7.75
Montezuma	.37½	.75
Snowstorm	..	3.00
Stewart Mining	.87½	1.00
Dolores	5.75	6.25
El Oro	5.87½	6.50
Esperanza, Limited	6.87½	7.25
Greene Gold-Silver Con.	.81¼	.87½
Greene Gold-Silver pf.	1.50	1.75
Mines Co. of America	1.37½	1.62½
San Toy	..	.28
Barnes-King	.60	.80
Butte Coalition	20.50	21.00
Davis-Daly Estate	3.37½	3.62½
East Butte	4.25	4.50
United Copper	6.50	7.12½
Nevada Hills	2.50	2.75
Nevada-Utah	3.87½	4.00
Pittsburg Silver Peak	1.15	1.25
Gibraltar Mines	.07	.10
Gold Bar	.16	.18
Montgomery Shoshone	2.50	3.00
National Bank	.08	.12
Tramps Consolidated	.23	.25
Cumberland-Ely Cop.	8.25	8.37½
Giroux Consolidated	3.62½	3.87½
Nevada Consolidated	11.50	11.62½
Combination Fraction	.68	.70
Diamond Black Butte	.16	.19
Gold Bar	.17	.25
Goldfield Consolidated	5.81¼	5.87½
Goldfield Daisy	1.36	1.38
Goldfield Florence	4.25	4.37½
Great Bend	.71	.73
Jumbo Extension	.33	.38
Kendall	.17	.20
Lone Star	.08	.12
Portland	.06	.08
St. Ives	.27	.35
Belmont	1.31¼	1.43¾
Midway	.60	.62
Montana Tonopah	1.80	1.90
Tonopah Extension	1.06¼	1.18¾
Tonopah Mining	8.12½	8.37½
West End	.28	.32
Vulture	..	.50
Majestic	1.12½	1.37½
Utah Apex	8.50	8.75
Hancock	6.00	6.25
Keweenaw	4.62½	5.00
Tri-Bullion	1.87½	2.00

*Prospect.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

	1908.	1907.	1906.
ANN ARBOR RAILROAD—			
4th week March	$43,394	$55,968	......
Month	134,873	180,916	......
July 1-March 31	1,512,677	1,633,832	......
BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURG—			
Mileage	568	568	568
1st week April	111,802	166,335	69,100
July 1-April 7	6,664,870	6,192,785	6,723,400
DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON—			
4th week March	42,716	48,281	......
Month March	133,878	161,283	......
July 1-March 31	1,590,707	1,575,745	......
HIDALGO & NORTHEASTERN—			
Mileage	152	152	152
4th week March	25,586	28,104	......
Month	73,702	82,874	......
July 1-March 31	744,253	745,845	......
ILLINOIS CENTRAL—			
Mileage	4,419	4,370	4,370
March gross	4,407,550	5,078,930	4,666,563
July 1-March 31	42,044,929	42,124,345	38,843,185
INTEROCEANIC RAILWAY OF MEXICO—			
Mileage	736	736	736
4th week March	207,062	205,749	188,548
Month	655,733	648,000	638,545
July 1-March 31	5,815,417	5,838,005	4,636,931
MEXICAN INTERNATIONAL—			
Mileage	918	971	880
4th week March	188,444	208,338	238,198
Month	671,270	763,628	714,651
July 1-March 31	6,126,801	6,066,768	5,253,847
NATIONAL RAILROAD OF MEXICO—			
Mileage	1,732	1,730	1,730
4th week March	371,088	487,168	418,878
Month	1,247,736	1,407,974	1,261,519
July 1-March 31	11,839,627	11,401,052	10,201,824
YAZOO & MISSISSIPPI VALLEY—			
Mileage	1,305	1,239	1,239
March gross	844,818	866,885	801,203
July 1-March 31	7,641,322	7,293,454	647,440

Miscellaneous Earnings.

MICHIGAN STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY for the year ended Dec. 31—

	1907.	1906.	1905.
Gross	3,092,225	2,661,296	2,298,552
Exp., tax., &c.	2,044,973	2,029,033	1,620,224
Net	1,047,252	632,263	678,328
Spec. exp. and bd. disc.	28,475	15,473	15,898
Net	1,018,777	616,790	657,930
Interest	414,776	340,120	261,371
Surplus	604,001	276,670	396,559
Divs. on pfd.	136,645	136,833	137,100
Sur. for year	467,356	140,837	259,459
Prev. surplus	458,251	322,752	132,657
Total	925,607	463,089	392,116
Miscel. deduc.	271,468	2,422	69,363
P. & L. sur.	654,139	460,667	322,753

FINANCIAL NOTES.

William E. Young has become associated as manager with the stock brokerage firm of Effingham, Lawrence & Co., 111 Broadway.

Announcement is made at the Stock Exchange that all transactions in Utah Copper Company warrants of subscription for ten-year 6 per cent. convertible bonds, beginning to-day and until further notice, will be in the full-paid warrants.

It was announced yesterday that all the protracted litigation between the David Stevenson estate and the David Stevenson Brewing Company has been amicably settled. At a meeting of the stockholders of the Stevenson Brewing Company James McClenahan, David Stevenson, Malcolm Stevenson, Newell Bent, A. M. Beard, and ex-Judge J. Rider Cady were elected Directors. James McClenahan becomes President, David Stevenson First Vice President, Malcolm Stevenson Second Vice President, and Samuel Greason Treasurer.

TO THE INVESTOR

We offer to the public an opportunity to participate in an investment which combines all the essential features of any good investment—security, permanency and a profitable yield.

The Consolidated Zinc Co.

is not a prospect, but an operating company shipping and milling their own ores and paying dividends at the present time.

ONE MILLION SHARES OF THE

8% Cumulative Dividend Preferred Stock

IS OFFERED AT PAR, $1.00 Per Share, full Paid and Non-Assessable, Together With a Common Stock Bonus of 100 Per Cent., on Which Dividends of 4 Per Cent. Per Annum Will be Paid.

NETTING THE INVESTOR 12 PER CENT. PER ANNUM

Stockholders of record Wednesday, April 15, will participate in the quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. on the preferred stock and 1 per cent. quarterly on the common stock, netting each stockholder 8 per cent. on his investment. Dividends will be paid quarterly on the 15th day of January, April, July, and October.

FOR SUBSCRIPTION

Subscriptions Payable: 20% on Subscribing
20% in one month
20% in two months
20% in three months
20% in four months From date of Subscription.

Subscribers may at their option pay all cash at any time within the above limit. Dividends will be paid on the sums actually paid in.

COMPANY WILL OWN AND OPERATE SMELTERS

The present output of the mines controlled by this company is sufficient to supply three large zinc smelters. Therefore, in order to realize for the Consolidated Zinc Company the full value of the lead and zinc ores mined and milled, this company will own or control its own smelters, to which will be eventually added manufacturing plants, realizing all the earnings that now accrue to the mines, smelters and manufacturers, each of which industries is returning most satisfactory dividends to their owners.

Hitherto zinc mining in this country has been conducted by individual operators and corporations, operating one or more mines. The Consolidated Zinc Company is rapidly combining this industry into one thoroughly co-ordinated system in which every known economy will be introduced.

CONSOLIDATED ZINC COMPANY, CHICAGO
THE WALLACE H. HOPKINS CO., BANKERS, CHICAGO

The Tradesmen's Trust Co., of Philadelphia, has been authorized to receive subscriptions. Full information and data can be obtained upon application.

WABASH RIGHT OF WAY SOLD.

Pennsylvania Acquires Franchises for Parallel Line—Indignation in Towns.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, April 10.—That the Gould and the Pennsylvania interests have come to an agreement in the Pittsburg district was brought out here to-day with the announcement that the Wabash had sold to the Pennsylvania the rights of way obtained years ago along the north bank of the Ohio River from Steubenville, Ohio, to Midland, Penn., about thirty-five miles.

The news has caused great indignation in towns along the Ohio, where assertions of double dealing on the part of the Wabash are made. Committees have been sent from little towns to Columbus to protest and ask that the deal be canceled on the grounds that a competing railroad is being absorbed by one having a monopoly. A committee will also be sent from Midland, Penn., to Harrisburg.

As a consideration the Wabash received about $200,000, although it is asserted that the Pennsylvania valued these rights of way, paralleling its Cleveland & Pittsburg lines through the rich pottery district, at not a cent less than $5,000,000. President Joseph Ramsey, Jr., of the Wabash, some year ago, got the rights of way at slight cost, promising to spend $2,800,000 on a rival railroad.

GAIN IN BANK HOLDINGS.

Movements of Currency Result in More Than $4,000,000 Increase.

The movements of currency this week resulted, according to yesterday's estimates, in a gain of between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 in cash holdings of the banks. About half of this is said to represent the gain on the movement to and from the interior.

In well-informed banking circles it was said that the estimated gain would about represent to-day's increase in the surplus reserves of the banks.

TRADE IN GOOD SHAPE.

Fewer Extensions Sought at Spring Settlement Than Had Been Expected.

The usual Spring settlement in the mercantile district, now in progress, is likely, bankers said yesterday, to pass without any unusually large number of extensions of accounts. The fears which had prevailed in some quarters at the opening of the year that mercantile interests would find great difficulty in meeting their payments have not been fulfilled. Yesterday's reports of the favorable progress of the settlement indicate a better position in the matter of collections than had been believed to exist.

TRADING IN BALTIMORE.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, April 10.—Southern securities were a feature of the local market to-day, Georgia Southern & Florida 5s being the most active. United Railway bonds were also in demand, the funding 5s advancing ⅜ and the other bonds also ruling strong. Knoxville Traction 5s were ⅜ higher. Stocks, 75 shares; bonds, $95,500.

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Baltimore City 3½s	98½	98½	98½
1,000	At. Coast Line 4s	85	85	85
2,000	A. C. L. new 4s ctfs.	63½	63½	63½
4,000	A. C. L. of Conn. 5-20s	71½	71½	71½
87,000	Georgia So. & Fla. 5s	100¼	100¼	100¼
1,000	S. A. L. 10-year 5s	85	85	85
10,000	Sea. & Roanoke 5s	100	100	100
2,000	Ana. & Potomac 5s	96½	96½	96½
2,000	Knoxville Traction 5s	101	101	101
2,000	Norfolk Ry. & Lt. 5s	88¼	88¼	88¼
1,000	Richmond Traction 5s	102	102	102
8,000	United Ry. 4s	85¼	85¼	85¼
13,000	United Ry. inc.	51½	51⅜	51½
5,500	United Ry. fdg. 5s	77½	77	77½
8,000	Baltimore Elec. 5s	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
1,000	Con. Gas 5s	107½	107½	107½
3,000	Cotton Duck 5s	70	70	70

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
10	Atlantic Coast Line	72½	72½	72½
50	S. A. L. Co. com.	5½	5½	5½
15	Maryland Casualty	56	56	56

Three Industries Resume on Full Time

WAKEFIELD, Mass., April 10.—The Smith & Anthony Stove Foundry, which has been shut down for the last sixteen weeks, will start up on full time Monday next. Two hundred hands are employed. At the rattan factory of the Haywood Brothers and Wakefield Rattan Company, where all departments have been running on short time, about half will go on full time next week. This will affect 500 hands.

Borough Bank's Voting Trustees.

It was announced yesterday that Broc R. Shears, President; William S. Hurley, Vice President, and Paul Grout, counsel, had been elected to act as Voting Trustees of the Borough Bank of Brooklyn, which is to open again next week.

ERIE RAILROAD NOTES DUE APRIL 8, 1908.

23 Wall Street.

Referring to the correspondence already published, we are prepared under the instructions of the Erie Railroad Company to pay to any note-holder presenting Erie Railroad notes due April 8, 1908, or our receipts for such notes already deposited with us, par for the said notes, or at the option of the holder until and including APRIL 15TH, 1908, to deliver a new Three-Year 6 Per Cent. Collateral Gold Note and 5 per cent. in cash, less accrued interest on the note.

Pending the preparation of the new notes temporary certificates will be issued.

J. P. MORGAN & CO.

ANDREW J. McCORMACK, Auctioneer.
REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF

STOCKS AND BONDS
By ADRIAN H. MULLER & SON

OFFICE NO. 55 WILLIAM ST.,
Wednesday, April 15th, 1908,
at 12:30 o'clock, at the
EXCHANGE SALESROOM,
NOS. 14 AND 16 VESEY STREET.

For account of whom it may concern.

$1,000 New York & New Jersey Water Co. 1st Mtg. 4% Bond, 1950.
800 shs. Champion Seal Co.
25 shs. Carnegie Trust Co.
$10,000 N. Y., Susquehanna & Western R. R. Gen'l Mtg. 5% Bds., 1940.
56 shs. Star Fire Ins. Co. of Louisville.
$2,000 Central Rwy. of Oregon 6% S. F. Bds. 1935.
50 shs. Federal Sugar Refining Co. common.
$6,000 Park & Tilford 6% Deb. Bds., 1936.
200 shs. Broad-Exchange Co. common.
50 shs. Broad-Exchange Co. prefd.
80 shs. Broadway Building Co.
100 shs. American Thermos Bottle Co.
40 shs. Mababi Development & Lumber Co.
2 shs. Wells, Fargo & Co.
$10,000 Ohio Trust Co. of Norwalk (Ohio) 3½% Certf. of Deposit.

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC & MANUFACTURING CO.

READJUSTMENT OF DEBT.

To the Stockholders:

The undersigned have been requested to act as a committee to represent the stockholders in connection with the "Merchandise Creditors' Plan," for the readjustment of the debt of the Company. Copies of the plan and subscription agreement will be furnished on application to the Secretary of the Committee.

New York, April 10, 1908.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS,
CHARLES J. CANDA,
GEORGE A. GUTHRIE,
ALVIN W. KRECH,
GEORGE T. OLIVER,
Committee.

J. H. JONES, Secretary,
111 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Chas. B. Van Nostrand

36 WALL STREET.

Gas and Electric Securities

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL AND MINERAL OIL.—Chief Quartermaster's Office, Atlanta, Ga., March 16, 1908. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received here until 11:00 A. M. April 15th, 1908, for furnishing such wood, coal and mineral oil as may be required during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1908, at Atlanta, Ga., Forts Barrancas, Pickens, McRee, Dade and De Soto, and Key West Barracks, Fla.; Fort Caswell, N. C.; Forts Fremont and Moultrie, S. C.; Forts McPherson, Oglethorpe, and Screven, Ga.; Fort Morgan, Ala.; Jackson Barracks, and Fort St. Philip, La. Information furnished on application here or to Quartermasters at stations named. SAM R. JONES, Lt. Col. and Chief Quartermaster.

WEST POINT, N. Y., MARCH 14, 1908.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, for furnishing fuel during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909, and forage during the quarter ending September 30, 1908, will be received here until 12 M. April 15, 1908; such fuel being required for one year and the forage for 3 months. Information furnished upon application. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all bids or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Fuel and Forage," addressed Q. M., U. S. A.

OFFICE OF READING COMPANY.
Philadelphia, April 10, 1908.
The Board of Directors have declared from the net earnings a dividend of Two Per Cent. on the Second Preferred Stock of the Company, to be paid on May 9, 1908, to the stockholders of record at the close of business April 22, 1908. Checks will be mailed to stockholders who have filed dividend orders with the Treasurer.
W. R. TAYLOR, Secretary.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY
Special Meeting of Stockholders.

120 Broadway, New York, March 26, 1908.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY:

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of Union Pacific Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors to convene at the office of the Company at Salt Lake City, in the State of Utah, on the 5th day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the following propositions, viz.:

1. To approve or ratify the sale to said Union Pacific Railroad Company of the railroad and branches, constructed or to be constructed, of The Leavenworth, Kansas and Western Railway Company, together with all the property, rights, privileges and franchises thereto pertaining, and all other property of the Company last named;

2. To approve or ratify the sale to said Union Pacific Railroad Company of the railroad and branches, constructed or to be constructed, of The Topeka and Northwestern Railroad Company, together with all the property, rights, privileges and franchises thereto pertaining, and all other property of the Company last named;

3. To authorize or approve an issue of bonds to be secured by a mortgage of a portion of said Union Pacific Railroad Company's lines of railroad, together with the appurtenances, including the lines of railroad proposed to be purchased as aforesaid.

The books for the transfer of the stock (both preferred and common) will be closed for the purpose of the meeting at 12 o'clock noon on the 11th day of April, 1908, and will be reopened at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 6th day of May, 1908.

By order of the Board of Directors.
ALEX. MILLAR, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Philipse Manor Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 64 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1908, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing five Directors for the ensuing year and two Inspectors of election to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Polls will remain open from twelve o'clock noon to one o'clock P. M. Transfer books will be closed from April 11th to April 20th, 1908.
Dated New York City, April 4, 1908.
WILLIAM LESLIE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF
THE LAKE SHORE AND MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.
Cleveland, O., April 6th, 1908.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the principal office of the company in Cleveland, Ohio, on the FIRST WEDNESDAY (being the 6th day) of MAY, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. The poll will continue open for one hour thereafter.
By order of the Board of Directors.
DWIGHT W. PARDEE, Secretary.

GLOBE & RUTGERS FIRE INSURANCE Company, 76 William Street, New York, March 31st, 1908.—The Annual Election for Directors of this Company will be held at this office, Tuesday, April 14th, 1908. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon until 1 P. M.
LYMAN CANDEE, Secretary.

New York, April 2, 1908.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Consolidated California Vineyard Company will be held at the offices of the Company, 686-690 Greenwich Street, New York City, April 21st, 3 P. M. ADOLPH RAHAEUSER, Secretary.

NEW YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE BANK.
New York, N. Y., April 1, 1908.
At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New York Produce Exchange Bank, held this day, a semi-annual dividend of Three Per Cent. and an extra dividend of One Per Cent. was declared, payable April 15th.
Transfer books will be closed from the 7th to the 15th, inclusive.
JOHN R. WOOD, Cashier.

Office of THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, N. W. Cor. Broad & Arch Streets, Philadelphia, Penn., March 11, 1908.
The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of Two Per Cent., (One Dollar per share,) payable April 15, 1908, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 31, 1908. Checks will be mailed.
LEWIS LILLIE, Treasurer.

IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

Large Tract at Spuyten Duyvil Bought for Development—Big Bronx Auction Offering Announced—Details of Day's Dealings by Brokers.

The Sage property, a dwelling, with about ten acres of land, between Netherland and Arlington Avenues and 227th and 230th Streets, has been sold, through Richard Alexander, to J. J. McKelvey, representing a syndicate. This tract is one of the largest parcels under single ownership in the Spuyten Duyvil and Riverdale sections. It is understood that a company will be incorporated to develop and improve the property.

A decision handed down yesterday by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in a case involving basement rooms in tenements is referred to in detail in another column.

Joel Wolfe Property at Auction.

The first large auction offering of the season involving vacant property in the Bronx has been announced by Joseph P. Day for May 5. The sale will cover the 245 lots known as the Joel Wolfe estate, lying just north of the Bronx and Pelham Parkway and just east of Bronx Park. The property is intersected by White Plains Boad and Boston Avenue, and has as its western boundary the Bronx Boulevard, or Bronx Park East. It is almost directly opposite the Botanical Gardens.

The Cruikshank Company and J. N. Kalley & Son have sold for the Brower estate 239 to 243 West Street, southwest corner of Hubert Street, old buildings, on plot 100 by 80. The property will soon be improved with a modern building. The new Fruit Exchange occupies the rest of the block on West Street, between Beach and Hubert Streets.

Buyer for Ninth Street House.

E. H. Ludlow & Co. have sold for Julia G. Fowler to a client 27 West Ninth Street, a four-story English basement dwelling, 17 by 92.3.

Montgomery & Seitz have sold for Augustus Howard 1,016 Lexington Avenue, a three-story dwelling, on lot 17 by 80.

Aaron Coleman has sold through P. A. Payton, Jr., the three five-story double flats 138 to 142 West 133d Street, on plot 75 by 100.

Henry Brady, in conjunction with F. R. Wood & Co., sold for John A. Moore the two five-story tenements 208 and 210 West Sixty-fourth Street, on plot 50 by 100.

Amsterdam Avenue Purchases.

Thomas & Son have sold for Elkin & Hermann to the estate of B. F. Hooper the two five-story tenements, with stores, at 1,722 and 1,724 Amsterdam Avenue, on plot 50 by 100. These houses adjoin the corner recently sold to the Hooper estate, which now controls a plot 75 by 100. The corner is to be converted into an office building. The adjoining houses will also be partially remodeled for business use.

John A. Steinmetz sold for August Muller to F. F. Kortlucke 1,307 Amsterdam Avenue, a five-story four-family flat with store.

Victor M. Earle has sold for Sabria A. Deshon 616 West 113th Street, a four-story American basement dwelling on lot 20 by 100.11.

Foreclosure proceedings have been begun by James A. Trowbridge against Robert S. Stedman and others involving the property 15 West Thirty-fourth Street. This is the westerly one of the two lots covered by the Bonwit-Teller Building.

New Riverside Apartments.

Plans have been filed for the six-story apartment house to be built by Klein & Jackson at the southwest corner of Riverside Drive and 161st Street, on plot 30 by 100. The building will house thirty-six families and will be of brick, with trimmings of marble and limestone. It will cost $200,000. William L. Rouse is the architect.

M. & L. Hess have leased for the Six and Eight West Twentieth Street Company to the Keck-Degerhardt Company the first and second lofts at 6 and 8 West Twentieth Street for a term of ten years at an aggregate rental of $75,000; also in the Century Bank Building at the northeast corner of Twentieth Street and Fifth Avenue, two floors containing 6,000 square feet; also for Walter J. Salomon a store at 500 Fifth Avenue.

The Duross Company has leased part of the car barns at 168 to 174 Christopher Street for Edmund B. Van Horn to James J. Archibold for a term of years.

Upper East Side Rentals.

The Cuozzo & Gagliano Company has leased for Morris Williamson the six-story tenement at 314 East 106th Street for a term of years at an aggregate rental of $25,000.

George Brettell & Son have leased for a Mr. Hays 212 and 218 East Twelfth Street, two three-story dwellings, and for William & Julius Bachrach 112 East 127th Street, a three-story frame dwelling.

The Kemp-Jones Realty Company has sold to H. Massey 971 Summit Avenue the last of a row of five four-story apartment houses recently completed. The houses have all been sold within seven weeks.

E. Osborne Smith & Co. have sold for Henry S. Glover to William H. Grinnell two lots on the west side of Aqueduct Avenue, near Washington Bridge. The buyer will build a dwelling.

Casey & Irwin have sold for E. H. Kelly to a builder, for improvement, the northwest corner of 198th Street and Decatur Avenue, a plot of about four lots.

Outlook for Rapid Transit Bills.

The objections raised yesterday to the amended Travis-Robinson bill, as reported out of the Cities Committee of both houses, are said by members of the Allied Real Estate Interests to be of no vital importance. The bill as it stands has been carefully examined by members of the Public Service Commission and by the Law Committee of the Allied Interests, and has received their entire approval.

"The objections appear to us merely trivial," said President Robinson of the Allied Interests yesterday, "and will in no way affect the position concerning the bill of the many organizations throughout Greater New York that are in favor of legislation enabling the city to obtain immediate construction of subways. We regret that the Citizens' Union should have raised a technical point against the bill at this late date, and we feel sure that it is sound and will pass both houses. If it has any slight defects, they can easily be corrected by subsequent legislation. So far as the fear of a perpetual charter is concerned, this can best be provided against by an amendment to the city charter rather than to the present bill."

The McKnight Realty Company has sold 500 lots in Jamaica, on New York Avenue, extending from South Street to Brown Place. The New York and Queens County trolley system operates a line on New York Avenue.

New Owners for Brooklyn Houses.

Burrill Brothers have sold the three-story brownstone dwelling 381 Second Street, near Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn, for M. J. O'Neill to S. C. McCall; also, the three-story brick dwelling 235 Thirteenth Street, near Sixth Avenue, for F. G. Junk to M. N. Sullivan.

Folsom Brothers have sold for Ferris S. Morgan and others to Samuel D. Folsom a fully furnished house, with ninety-two acres of land, at Wilton, Fairfield County, Conn.

Edward P. Hamilton & Co. have sold for the Daniel T. Campbell estate property on Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, N. J., consisting of a brick and frame residence, stables, and extensive grounds.

J. N. Kuh has sold for the Arverne-by-the-Sea Company to A. Sabella a plot, 40 by 75, on the north side of the Boulevard, 70 feet west of Alexander Avenue, Arverne. The buyer will improve the property with stores and apartments.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

Robbins Av, w s, 200 ft s of 149th St, 50x109, two-story dwelling and vacant; foreclosure sale, to the plaintiff, Julius Heiderman, $6,000.

By Samuel Marx.

Maple Av, n e corner of 213th St, four lots, each 25x100; foreclosure sale, to Alexander Lewine, representing party in interest, for prior liens and $300.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and Bronx.

Van Cortlear Place, s e corner of 227th St, for a three-story frame dwelling, 25x100; F. P. Hummel of 1,511 3d Av, owner; Charles Schaefer, Jr., architect; cost, $7,000.

Riverside Drive, s w corner of 161st St, for a six-story brick apartment house, 130x100; Klein & Jackson, owners; W. L. Rouse, architect; cost, $200,000.

Glebe Av, n e corner of St. Peter's Av, for a three-story concrete storage building, 50x87; William A. Mallet, Overing and St. Raymond's Avs, owners; Henry Nordheim, architect; cost, $15,000.

Crotona Park North, 50 ft w of Prospect Av, for a two-story brick dwelling, 20x55; William S. Hughes of 807 Freeman St, owner; Harry B. Van Benschoten, architect; cost, $5,800.

Alterations.

Items involving less than $5,000 omitted.

32d St, 168 and 170 East, to a three-story brick tenement; Mrs. G. W. Connell of 221 West 71st St, owner; Reilly & Steinback, architects; cost, $5,000.

7th Av, n e corner of 51st St, to a five-story brick tenement and store; J. H. Sheier & Gross, architects; cost, $5,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Friday, April 10.

AVENUE D, 56, s e corner of Fifth St, 22x78; Wolf Rosenberg to Nancy Krakower, (mtg $31,000,) $100.

AMSTERDAM AV, e s, 75.11 ft n of 124th St, 25x99.5; August Muller to Frederick F. Kortlucke, (mtg $15,000,) $100.

BRIGGS AV, n w corner of 5th Av, 30x212x120x232, Bronx; Morris Brosterman to Max Gotthelf, ½ part, (mtg $3,000,) $100.

BERRY ST, n s, 250 ft w of Anthony Av, 25x90; Robert N. Cleverdon to Charlotte Recke, (mtg $3,000,) $1.

BELMONT AV, w s, 200 ft s of Locust Av, 84x50; Edwin Shuttleworth to Agnes K. Mulligan, $100.

BOSTON ROAD, nw s, opposite land of Dr. William Bayard and adjoining lands of Crossin et al. at West Farms, 50x217; Mechanic St, ne s, 134 ft nw of Boston Road, 53.6x irregular; George F. Johnson, Jr., to George F. Johnson, ¼ part, $100.

BAXTER ST, 38, 17.6x90; 40 Baxter St, 17.8x90x17.6x90; Pasquale Cellilo to Federico Panara, $1.

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CROTONA AV, s e corner of 178th St, 25x96.1; William G. Mulligan to Frederick W. Marthens, (mtg $4,500,) $100.

DECATUR AV, w s, 50 ft s of 209th St, 25x100; Jacob H. Amsler and others to Louis F. Hofman, (mtg $5,000,) $100.

FAILE ST, 1,051, w s, 20x100; American Real Estate Co. to Eveline L. Spencer, $100.

FERRIS AV, w s, 303.5 ft s of lands of St. Joseph's Institute, 246.1x1,012.5x irregular; George S. Fulton to J. Harold McLaine and others, $1.

FERRIS AV, w s, 549.6 ft s of land of St. Joseph's Institute, 266.9x892 to Westchester Creek; George S. Fulton to J. Harold McLaine, $1.

LOTS 44 to 53, map of 300 lots controlled by Henry Morgenthau; George F. Johnson, Jr., to George F. Johnson, 1-3 part, $100.

LOT 118, map of 300 lots controlled by Henry Morgenthau; George F. Johnson, Jr., to George F. Johnson, 1-6 part, $100.

LOTS 181 and 182, map of Bronx View Park; Frederick G. Durr to Emma Teller, (mtg $1,270,) $100.

LEXINGTON AV, 1,833, 20.3x78; Mabel L. Port to Jacob T. Hildebrant, (mtg $17,000,) $1.

MINNIEFORD AV, w s, 225 ft n of Beach St, 25x100, City Island; John H. Andrews to John Fenn, $150.

MADISON AV, n s, 400 ft w of Robin Av, 60x irregular; Tremont Terrace; Bankers' Realty and Security Company to Josephine T. Deady, $100.

MADISON AV, e s, 98.9 ft n of 82d St, 49.4x100; Ethel Potter to Howard W. Potter, (mtg $393,000,) $1.

MAPES AV, n e corner of Green Av, 50x100, Westchester; Munnica Clougherty to John Moylan, $100.

PARK AV, 4,422, 25x141; Karneg M. Mugrdichian to Margaret Haggerty, (mtg $4,600,) $1.

TINTON AV, 1,243, 28.6x86.11x25x73.8; Louis H. Giraud to Daniel J. Roke, (mtg $3,500,) $1.

WENDOVER AV, s e corner of Washington Av, 25.3x91.3; Regina Lindenbaum to Solomon Adolph, (mtg $35,500,) $1.

1ST AV, 2,209, w s, 25x75; Salvatore Laino to Antonio Laino and others, 1-10 part, (mtg $10,500,) $1,450.

1ST AV, 2,209, w s, 25x75; Chester A. Luff to Antonio Laino and others, 1-10 part, (mtg $10,500,) $1,450.

1ST AV, 2,209, w s, 25x75; Catarina Innella to Gennarino Innella, ½ part, quitclaim, $1.

2D AV, 1,033, 25x75; George H. Breen to Franz Flory, (mtg $14,000,) $1.

7TH AV, s e corner of 134th St, 24.11x75; Pincus Lowenfeld and others to Charles Polifeme, (mtg $37,000,) $100.

7TH AV, 277, e s, 40.1 ft s of 26th St, 19.4x70; Isabella L. Ryttenberg to Henry Voorhis, (mtg $24,000,) $100.

19TH ST, n s, Lots 582 and 583, map of Clement C. Moore estate, Elizabeth C. Many to Charlotte H. Many, $100.

46TH ST, 343 East, n s, 20x100.5; Otto Stahl to Victor Stapf, (mtg $5,000,) $100.

48TH ST, 317 East, n s, 25x100; Joseph Mahl to Felix Kunstler, ½ part, $100.

62D ST, 220 East, 18.9x100.5; John Bozzuffi to Domenico Merlini, (mtg $11,000,) $4,000.

72D ST, 241 to 251 East, 100x102.2; Pauline Gomprecht to Birdie Gomprecht, $100.

79TH ST, n s, 85 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 20x102.2; John H. Deeves, trustee, to Ella F. Dixon, (mtg $15,000,) $1.

80TH ST, s s, 85 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 20x102.2; John H. Deeves, trustee, to Eliza J. P. Quin, (mtg $12,500,) $1.

97TH ST, 301 East, 25.6x100.11x24.10x100.11; Irving Bachrach and others to William Weinstock, $100.

106TH ST, s s, 100 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 25x100.11; Michael J. Quinn and another to John and Julia McNamara, (mtg $32,500,) $1.

110TH ST, s s, 80 ft e of Park Av, 25x75.11; Mary J. McDonald to Cora Lowenstein, (mtg $12,000,) $100.

113TH ST, 61 West, 17x100.11; Julia A. Picken to David Rosing, (mtg $11,500,) $100.

114TH ST, 350 East, 25x100.10; Domenico Vuono to Charles Greenberg, $100.

118TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of 1st Av, 25x100.10; Joseph Adolph to Jennie Weill, (mtg $20,000,) $100.

119TH ST, 433 to 439 East, 75x100.11; Sigmund Rabinowitz to Selma Alexander, (mtg $91,000,) $100.

123D ST, 59 East, 19.5x100.11; George W. May and others, executors of Mary A. May, to Joseph Riley, (mtg $10,000,) $13,500.

124TH ST, 355 and 357 East, 37.8x100.11; Marcus L. Osk and others to Alfred Frankenthal and another, ½ part, (mtg $11,500,) $1.

131ST ST, s s, 125 ft w of Broadway, 25x99.11; Joseph A. McDermott to George W. Larson, $100.

135TH ST, n s, 104 ft e of Southern Boulevard, 16.8x75; Gesiene Siegel to Augustin Schussler, (mtg $3,000,) $1.

135TH ST, 112 West, 25x99.11; M. Weinstein and others to Harry Braun, (mtg $18,000,) $1.

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135TH ST, 41 and 43 West, 37.6x99.11; Arthur W. Wall to David Angerman, $100.

150TH ST, s s, 125 ft w of Morris Av, 25x100; William H. Black to Harry Mayer, $23,750.

170TH ST, n s, 65 ft w of Washington Av, 51x irregular; Anna B. Weller to Leon Pierce, $100.

Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 5% unless otherwise specified:

BURCHELL, Henry J., Jr., to John S. Bussing; Lexington Av, 669, 5 years......$15,000

BARTEL REALTY CO. to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Bleecker St, 283, bond......$18,000

BENDIT, Rosalie, to Joseph Corbett; Teller Av, w s, 140.7 ft s of 164th St, 24x110 8 years, 4%......$5,000

BETTMANN, Matilda, to Moritz Rosett; 108th St, 116 and 118 East, subject to mtg for $59,000, 1 year, 6%......$2,000

BRAUN, Harry, to American Mortgage Co.; 135th St, s s, 200 ft w of Lenox Av, 25x99.11, 5 years, 5½%......$18,000

BARTON, Henry S., to Julia E. Glover; Lexington Av, 1,894, 3 years, 5½%......$8,000

CHARLTON CONTRACT CO. to Rose Fox; Beach St, 10, ½ year, 6%......$20,000

CHARLES H. WELLING CO. to Margaret O. Sage; 5th Av, s w corner of 27th St, 29x120, 2 years, 5½%......$400,000

COURT, Angeline, to Ernest Schaffner; 6th Av, e s, 25 ft n of 10th St, 21x52.2, sub mtg $17,500, 1 year, 6%......$1,000

DAMRAUER, Isidor, to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; Avenue A, e s, 25.9 ft s of 12th St, 26x67.3, 3 years, 5½%......$16,000

DAMRAUER, Isidor, to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; Avenue A, s e corner of 12th St, 25.9x67.3, 3 years, 5½%......$28,000

DOELGER, Charles P., to German Savings Bank; 1st Av, s e corner of 87th St, 25.7x74, 1 year......$15,000

DOELGER, Charles P., to German Savings Bank; 75th St, 11 West, 1 year......$25,000

DOELGER, Charles P., to German Savings Bank; 76th St, 207 West, 1 year......$15,000

FLORIO, Antonio, to Mitchel Valentine; 1st Av, 2,030, 5 years, 5½%......$16,000

FULTON, George A., to William J. Hyland; Ferris Av, w s, at s s of lands of St. Joseph's Institute for Deaf-Mutes, 308.5x1,104.5, 2 years, 6%......$10,000

FENN, John, to Sarah Wood; Minneford Av, w s, 225 ft n of Beach Av, 25x100, 3 years, 6%......$1,500

FENN, John, to Frederick E. Wood; Minneford Av, w s, 225 ft n of Beach Av, 25x100, subject to mtg for $1,500, 3 years, 6%..$500

FEUER, David, to George Kocher; Lewis St, 117, subject to mtg for $35,450, 2 years, 6%......$1,000

GRIFFIN, Charles F., to Laura Freudenthal; Oakland Place, 749, 3 years, 6%......$4,500

GASS, John, to Victor Gerhards; Intervale Av, w s, 183.5 ft n of 169th St, 25x184.10, subject to mtg for $4,000, bond......$1,500

GOODMAN, Aaron, to Equitable Life Assurance Society; 3d Av, n e corner of 87th St, 50x90, due Jan. 1, 1911, 5½%......$75,000

GOODMAN, Aaron, to Hugo Gorsch; 3d Av, n e corner of 87th St, 50x90, subject mtg $75,000, 3 years, 6%......$15,000

HORWITZ, Hyman, to Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Co.; 124th St, s s, 225 ft e of 3d Av, 38.8x100.11, 5 years, 5½%..$34,000

HOFMAN, Louis F., to Jacob H. Amsler; Decatur Av, 50 ft s of 209th St, 25x100, sub mtg $5,000, 2 years, 6%......$1,900

HAGGERTY, Margaret, to Karneg M. Mugridichian; Park Av, 4,424, subject to mtg for $4,600, bond......$900

KORTLUCKE, Frederick F., to August Muller; Amsterdam Av, e s, 75.11 ft n of 124th St, 25x99.5, 5 years, 6%......$10,000

KORTLUCKE, Frederick F., to August Muller; Amsterdam Av, e s, 75.11 ft n of 124th St, 25x99.5, 2 years, 6%......$4,000

KENNEY, Rose F., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Forest Av, 1,137, bond......$6,500

KIERNAN, Katherine, to Joseph Del Mastro; e 50 ft of Lot 689, map of Wakefield, sub mtg $5,000, 1 year, 6%......$500

LAINO, Antonio, to Gennarino Innella; 1st Av, 2,209, sub mtg $10,500, 5 years, 6%......$800

LOCKWOOD, Isaac S., to Harold S. Lockwood; 126th St, s s, 190 ft w of 4th Av, 20x99.11, 5 years......$10,000

McCARTHY, Lizzie, to Rena Sulzberger; Cauldwell Av, e s, 133.4 ft s of 163d St, 16.8x100, sub mtg $3,700, 3 years, 6%......$600

McCARTHY, Lizzie, to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; Cauldwell Av, e s, 133.7 ft s of 163d St, 16.5x100, 5 years, 5½%..$3,700

MARKS, Elizabeth, to Bernard Loth; 149th St, 512 West, 3 years, 5½%......$10,000

MARKS, Elizabeth, to Ida Hegeman; 149th St, 512 West, sub mtg $10,000, 1 year, 6%. $1,000

MOYLAN, John, to James S. Boltan, Jr.; Green Av, n e corner of Mapes Av, 100x50, 3 years, 6%......$1,500

MELIA, Mary, to Anna Flanagan; 74th St, n s, 71 ft e of 3d Av, 19x62.2, due Jan. 1, 1911, 4%......$1,000

McLAINE, J. Harold, to George S. Fulton; Ferris Av, w s, 303.5 ft s from east end of wall at s s of land of St. Joseph's Institute for Deaf-Mutes. —x—, 2 years, 6%......$10,000

MOORE, William H. H., to Bank for Savings; 33d St, s s, 98 ft w of Madison Av, 22x irregular; 3 years......$20,000

McLAINE, J. Harold, to George S. Futon; Ferris Av, w s, 549.6 ft s of land of St. Joseph's Institute for Deaf-Mutes, 237.7x irregular, 2 years, 6%......$10,000

NOEL REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION CO. to J. Charles Weschler; Riverside Drive, s e corner of 137th St, 102.6x122.10, subject to mtg $165,000, 3 years, 6%......$30,000

OLMSTEAD, Daniel S., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 156th St, 896 East, bond...$10,000

PIERCE, Leon, to Anna B. Weller; 170th St, n s, 65 ft w of Washington Av, 51.3x irregular, 7 years......$7,500

ROKE, Daniel J., to Louis H. Giraud; Tinton Av, 1,243, sub mtg $3,500, 3 years, 6%.$3,200

ROGERS, Daniel, to Anna H. Boker; 12th Av, centre line 105 ft n of centre line of 183d St, 50x irregular, 3 years, 6%...$15,000

RILEY, James, to George W. May, executor; 123d St, 59 East, 3 years......$10,000

ROSING, David, to William H. Picken; 113th St, 61 West, subject to mtg $10,000, 1 year, 6%......$1,500

SWITZER, Sarah, to Margaret A. Goodridge; 33d St, s s, 175 ft e of 5th Av, 25x98.9, 1 year......$30,000

SILVERSTEIN, Fannie, to Winthrop A. Chanler, executor; Hester St, 102, 5 years, 5¼%, $30,000

SPENCER, Eveline L., to American Real Estate Co.; Faile St, w s, 129.6 ft s of Bancroft St, 20x100, sub mtg $8,500, installments, 6%......$2,000

SPENCER, Eveline L., to American Real Estate Co.; Faile St, w s, 129.6 ft s of Bancroft St, 20x100, 5 years, 5½%......$8,500

STAPF, Victor, to Otto Stahl; 46th St, 343 East, sub mtg $5,000, 3 years, 6%......$300

WOLF, Johann A., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Morris Av, n s, old line, 92.7 ft w of Washington Av, 18.6 x irregular; Morris Av, n s, 92.7 ft w of Washington Av, 18.6x irregular, bond......$12,500

Mechanics' Liens.

34TH ST, 15 West; James A. Trowbridge against Robert S. Stedman and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, W. F. Clare.

77TH ST, 304 East; Bernhard Schildhaus against Ferdinand Schaad, owner and contractor, $18.

MORNINGSIDE AV, 59 and 61, and 371 West 120th St; Pluemacher Contracting Co. against George Schreiner, owner and contractor, $400.

THOMPSON ST, 15; Francis J. O'Beirne against Barbara Fisher, owner and contractor, $65.

MADISON AV, 766; Isidor Bair and others against Jeannette Busse and Bertha Ullman, owners and contractors; Meyer H. Ullman, contractor, $160.

MADISON AV, 766; John S. Morgan and others against Jeannette Busse and Bertha Ullman, owners and contractors; Meyer H. Ullman, contractor, $881.

MADISON AV, 766; Frederick A. Buser against Jeannette Busse and Bertha Ullman, owners and contractors; Meyer H. Ullman, contractor, $390.

Satisfied Mechanics' Liens.

AQUEDUCT AV, s e corner of 192d St; Robinson Clay Product Co. of New York against George F. Johnson, Jr., et al., April 4, 1907, $123.

MOTT ST, 302 and 304; Burt F. Merriam et al. against Michael Briganti et al., Nov. 27, 1907, (by bond,) two, $1,000.

Lis Pendens.

138TH ST, n s, 462.6 ft e of St. Ann's Av, 37.6x100; Adrian H. Jackson against Jennie Reichman, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. A. Kent.

VYSE AV, w s, 240 ft n of 167th St, 20x100; Gilbert M. Speis and others against Anna Edelman and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. C. O'Conor.

69TH ST, n s, 225 ft w of West End Av, 124.8x100.6, two actions; Mary T. Donovan against Henry P. Whiteman and others, (foreclosure of two mortgages;) attorney, J. Whalen.

121ST ST, 235 and 237 East, two actions; Harry Kraft against John H. Strodl and others, (foreclosure of two mortgages;) attorneys, Simpson Werner & Cardozo.

WEST FARMS ROAD, s e s, ½ of Lot 2, map of estate of Harriet Bates, Bronx; Italian-American Trust Co. of the City of New York against Abraham Greenberg and others, (amended foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, F. E. M. Bulowa.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, s e corner of 139th St, 115x186; Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York against Junction Realty Co. and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. McKeen.

7TH AV, 2,568 to 2,572, three actions; John Finkbeiner and others against Irene Grace and others, (foreclosure of three mortgages;) attorney, F. P. Hummel.

61ST ST, 55 to 59 East; Andrew Kallas and others against Five Hundred and Forty Park Avenue and others, (action to foreclose mechanic's lien;) attorney, H. S. Mack.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

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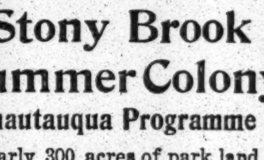

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U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN District of New York.—ISIDORE KRAMER and ISRAEL GREENBERG, Bankrupts. Notice is hereby given that the above-named bankrupts have filed their petition, dated February 27th, 1908, praying for a discharge from all their debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on April 27th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupts thereon.

WILLIAM H. WILLIS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, April 10th, 1908.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN District of New York.—BENJAMIN W. JACOBSON, Bankrupt.
Notice is hereby given that the above-named bankrupt has filed his petition, dated April 1st, 1908, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on May 4th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

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Church Services To-morrow

BAPTIST.

Amity Baptist Church, 312 West 54th St., Rev. Leighton Williams, D. D., Pastor.—11 A. M., "The Knowledge of Redemption"; 4 P. M., Holy Communion; 8 P. M., "The Raising of Lazarus."

Central Baptist Church, 42d St., West of Broadway, Frank M. Goodchild, D. D., Pastor.—11 A. M., "Christ Triumphant." 7:45 P. M., Lantern Lecture in Lenten course, "The Agony on the Cross."

Collegiate Baptist Church of the Covenant, South Branch, 33d St., between 8th and 9th Avs.—Service at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Rev. T. E. Wright of the Central Baptist Church of Norwich, Conn., will preach morning and evening.

Collegiate Baptist Church of the Covenant, Central Branch, 92d St. and Amsterdam Av.—Service at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Rev. O. R. Farrell of the First Baptist Church of Willimantic will preach both morning and evening.

At Fifth Avenue Baptist Church,
4 West 46th Street.
THE REV. CHARLES F. AKED, D. D., will preach to-morrow (Sunday) both morning and evening.
Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Sunday School, morning, at 9:30.
Young Men's and Young Women's Classes.

Madison Avenue Baptist Church, cor. 31st St. Rev. Wilbert W. White, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—"The Message of Four Great Passages About the Bible."
8 P. M.—"Some Difficulties Concerning Prayer Considered."
BIBLE SCHOOL, 9:45 A. M.
Everybody's Bible Class,
DR. WILBERT W. WHITE, Leader.
Subject: "Christianity Under Fire."
Strangers Cordially Invited.

Memorial Baptist, Washington Square.—EDWARD JUDSON, pastor. 11 A. M., City Mission meeting. Rev. D. H. Sears will speak; music by Slovak's choir. 8 P. M., sermon by Rev. W. N. Hubbell. Subject, "The Dominant Note in One's Life."

Mount Morris Baptist Church,
FIFTH AVE., ABOVE 126TH ST.,
Rev. J. HERMAN RANDALL, D. D., Pastor.
Public Worship at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.
Morning: "The Prayers I Pray."
Evening: "The Christian and the Church."

The Washington Heights Baptist Church, Convent Av. and 145th St., Rev. Rufus P. Johnston, D. D., Pastor.—Public worship, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Bible School, 10 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 P. M.
Cordial welcome to all.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Broadway Tabernacle,
Broadway and 56th Street.
Public Worship, 11 A. M.
The Pastor, Dr. JEFFERSON, will preach.
8 P. M.—Series of sermons on "The Character of Jesus," by the Pastor, Dr. JEFFERSON.

Manhattan Congregational,
Broadway, 76th St.—11 A. M., 8 P. M.
Pastors: Rev. Henry A. Stimson, D. D.,
Rev. Archibald L. Love, D. D.
8 P. M., "Seeking the Lost." Special music.
Sunday School, Bible Class, 9:45 A. M.
Young People's Society half hour service, 7:30 P. M.
All cordially welcome.

ETHICAL CULTURE.

Society for Ethical Culture, Carnegie Hall, 57th St., 7th Av.—11 A. M., MR. ALFRED MARTIN on "The Philosophy of Life in Rabbi Ben Ezra."

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.

Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Advent, Broadway and 93d St., Rev. William M. Horn.—Services, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.; Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.

Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. James, Madison Av. and 73d. Dr. Remensnyder, Pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.

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At Temple Beth-El, 5th Av and 76th St., Dr. S. Schulman will preach Sunday 11 A. M.; subject, "The Unreached Greatness of Moses." All are welcome.

At Temple Emanu-El, 5th Av. and 43d.—Sunday, 11:15, Dr. MAGNES on "The Jewish Masses and the Problem of Congestion." All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Duane M. E. Church, Hudson, near Spring St., R. H. Travis, D. D., Pastor.—10:45, "The Desire of Nation"; 7:45, "Speaking Stones."

GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 104th St., near Columbus Av., 11 and 8. You are always welcome. Come help welcome New Pastor, Charles Howland Cookman.

Jane St. M. E. Church, (Near 8th Av.) 11-8, Dr. Hermance. Full robed choir.

Madison Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church,
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Rev. WALLACE MacMULLEN, D. D., Pastor.
Preaching by the Pastor at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning Subject: "The King and His Authority."
Evening Subject: "Is the Cross Anything More than a Touching Tragedy?"
Bible School at 9:45 A. M.
Passion Week Services every night next week, except Saturday. Afternoon services Tuesday to Friday, inclusive, at 4 o'clock. Bible readings by Mrs. J. H. Knowles.

7th Ave., Metropolitan Temple, 14th St.
JOHN WESLEY HILL.
11—"The Riddle of Life."
8—"The Rights of the Employer."
MONDAY—Open parliament, "Negro Disfranchisement." Hon. F. C. Smalley and others.
GOOD FRIDAY—Dr. Hill will preach. Services during the week.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church,
76th St., West of Columbus Avenue,
GEORGE CLARKE PECK, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—Palm Sunday Sermon by Pastor.
8 P. M.—Sermon by the Minister.

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church,
West End Avenue and 86th Street,
Rev. GEORGE P. ECKMAN, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—Palm Sunday Sermon.
8 P. M.—Palm Sunday Praise Service.

Union Methodist Episcopal Church, 48th St., West of Broadway, Rev. Dr. J. Lewis Hartsock, Minister.—Palm Sunday: 11 A. M., "Christ as King"; 8 P. M., "The Mocking Hosannas of Modern Unbelief." Friday, 8 P. M., Passion Service.

44th St. M. E. Church, (near 10th Av.)
Rev. F. P. Harris, Pastor.
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Church of the New Jerusalem, 35th St., bet. Park and Lexington Avs., the Rev. Julian K. Smyth, Pastor. Service 11 A. M. Seats free. All are welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Brick Church,
Fifth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street.
Minister: Rev. William R. Richards, D. D.
Dr. Richards will preach at 11 o'clock and at VESPER SERVICE at 4.
Dr. A. F. Schauffler will preach at EVENING SERVICE at 8. SEATS FREE.
Bible School and Classes, 9:45 A. M.
MEN'S CLASS taught by DR. FAGNANI.
Special Services of Holy Week, Daily, Monday to Friday, at 5 P. M.

Central Presbyterian Church,
West 57th St., between Broadway-7th Av.
Rev. WILTON MERLE SMITH, D. D., Pastor.
Dr. Smith preaches at 11 A. M.
Palm Sunday Sermon.
At 8 P. M.: "THE BRIGHT SIDE OF THE WORKINGMAN'S LIFE," by John R. Voris. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Sunday morning at 9:45; Sunday School, 3 P. M. Devotional meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,
Fifth Avenue and 55th Street.
Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D. D., } Ministers.
Rev. Edwin F. Hallenbeck, D. D., }
Services 11 A. M., 4 P. M., 8 P. M.
Dr. Stevenson will preach in the morning.
The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the afternoon.
Rev. David Russell, D. D.,
the Eminent South African Evangelist, will speak at the Special Evening Service.
Bible School, 9:30 A. M. Men's Bible Class, conducted by Dr. Hallenbeck, 10 A. M.
Wednesday Evening Service at 8:15.

Fourth Presbyterian Church,
Cor. West End Av. and 91st St.,
EDGAR WHITAKER WORK, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—"The Coming of the King."
8 P. M.—"Short Cuts."
Free pews at this service.

Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church,
Northeast corner 73d St. and Madison Av.,
Rev. HENRY SLOANE COFFIN, D. D., Pastor.
Public Worship 11 A. M., 4:30 and 8 P. M.
The Pastor will preach in the morning and afternoon, and the Rev. CHAS. W. GILKEY at night.
Services Tuesday and Wednesday Evening at 8. Preacher, Rev. H. Roswell Bates. Thursday Evening, "The Lord's Supper"; Good Friday Afternoon at 5, Rev. Howard A. Johnston, D. D., will preach.

Madison Square Presbyterian Church,
Madison Avenue and 24th Street.
Rev. C. H. Parkhurst, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. George R. Montgomery, Asst. Minister.
Sabbath services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
The Pastor will preach in the morning and Mr. Montgomery in the evening.
Bible School with classes for children and adults, 10 and 11 A. M.
The midday services are discontinued for the season.

New York Presbyterian Church, 128th St. and 7th Av., D. J. McMillan, D. D., Pastor.—Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN.

North Presbyterian Church,
155th St., bet. Broadway and Amsterdam Av.
Rev. John R. Mackay, Ph. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—"The Light of a Progressive Life."
4 P. M.—Communion Service.
8 P. M.—Preaching by Dr. Elias.

Old First Presbyterian Church,
Fifth Avenue, Eleventh to Twelfth Street,
Rev. HOWARD DUFFIELD, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. James A. McCague, Assistant.
Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Rev. Chas. R. Erdman, Prof. in Princeton Theological Seminary, will preach.

Park Presbyterian Church, 86th St., Amsterdam Av.—Preaching by Pastor, Rev. Dr. Anson P. Atterbury, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

Rutgers Presbyterian Church,
BROADWAY AND 73D STREET.
Rev. ROBERT MACKENZIE, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. Allen W. McCurdy, Assistant Minister.
Preaching at 11 and 8 by Dr. Mackenzie.
Communion service at 4 o'clock.

Special Sunday Evening Service
8 P. M. April 12th.
Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,
5th Av. and 55th St.
Rev. David Russell, D. D.,
the Eminent South African Evangelist, will preach.
Mr. R. E. Mitchell and Male Quartet will sing.
Strangers are cordially invited.

St. Nicholas Av. Presbyterian Church, 141st St. and St. Nicholas Av., Rev. Thos. W. Smith, Pastor.—Services, 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Wednesday, 8 P. M. All are welcome.

University Place Presbyterian Church, Cor. of 10th St., Rev. George Alexander, D. D., Pastor.—Public worship to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; in the morning the Pastor will preach, the service being for the Sunday School, which will be in attendance in the Church; at the evening service the Pastor will preach; Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock.

West End Presbyterian Church,
Amsterdam Av. and 105th St.
Rev. A. EDWIN KEIGWIN, D. D., Pastor. Dr. J. Garland Hamner, Jr., Asst. Pastor. Dr. Keigwin will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Morning Subject, "The Sabbath Was Made for Man." Evening subject, "The Temptation of Robert Burns."

West Presbyterian Church,
On 42d St., between 5th and 6th Avs.,
Rev. ANTHONY H. EVANS, D. D., Pastor, preaches at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

West 23d St. Presbyterian Church, near 7th Av.—Rev. H. G. Mendenhall preaches Sunday, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.

Calvary Church, 4th Av., 21st St.,
Rev. J. Lewis Parks, Rector.
8 and 10 A. M., Holy Communion; 11 A. M., Morning Prayer, Holy Communion; Preacher, Rector.
8 P. M., PASSION SERVICE—GAUL.
SOLOISTS: JOHN BLAND and TOM DANIEL.
ORGAN AND DRUMS.

Christ Church, Broadway, 71st St., Rev. George A. Strong, Rector.—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service and Sermon, (Rector;) 8 P. M., Special Service; address by Mr. Wm. C. Stoever.

Church of the Ascension,
FIFTH AVENUE AND TENTH STREET,
Rev. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT, Rector.
11 A. M.—Morning service and sermon, (rector.)
4 P. M.—Rossini's "Stabat Mater."
Rev. Walter E. Clifton Smith will preach.
8 P. M.—Address by Mr. Alexander Irvine, "The Most Abused Text in the Bible."

Church of the Incarnation, Madison Av. and 35th St.—8 and 11 A. M. 4 P. M., Loyal Legion.

Church of the Resurrection,
115 East 74th St.,
Rev. Alfred Duane Pell, Rector.
Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Excellent music. Strangers welcome.

Church of the Transfiguration, 1 E. 29.—Communions, 7, 8, and 9; Garrett's Mass and Sermon, 10:30; Choral Evensong, 4 o'clock.

Church of Zion and St. Timothy,
334 West 57th St.
Rector, Rev. Henry Lubeck, D. C. L.
Holy Communion........................8 A. M.
Morning Prayer; Preacher, the Rector...11 o'c
The Meditation: "The Darkest Hour" (music by Harold Moore) will be sung at..4 P. M.

Eglise du Saint Esprit, 45 Est 27e Rue.—Services religieux le dimanche a 10h. ½ du matin et a 8h. du soir. Rev. A. Wittmeyer, Recteur.

Incarnation Chapel, 240 East 31st St.
8 P. M., STAINER'S "CRUCIFIXION."

NOONDAY SERVICES Holy Week, St. Paul's Chapel—12:05, 12:45; also 8, 8:30, 10:30 A. M. Cantata, "The Crucifixion," with full choir, Tuesday in Holy Week, April 14, 12 M. to 1 P. M.

Redeemer, 136th St., near Lenox Av., Rector, W. W. Davis.—Palm Sunday, 11 A. M., Solemn Eucharist and Procession; Tuesday, 8 P. M., "CRUCIFIXION," by special choir and soloists; Good Friday, 12-3, "The Seven Words." Addresses by the Rector. Easter Services, 6, 7, 8, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

St. Andrew's, 5th Av. and 127th St.
Rev. Geo. R. Van De Water, D. D., Rector.
Palm Sunday—Rector preaches 11 A. M.
Stainer's "Crucifixion"—8 P. M.
Rector preaches daily in Holy Week, 7:30 A. M. Wednesday 8 P. M. and Good Friday 12, 8 P. M. Bishop Greer will confirm and preach Good Friday 8 P. M.
Easter Services 7, 9:15, 11 A. M., and Children's Service 4 P. M.

Saint Agnes' Chapel, Trinity Parish, West 92d St., near Columbus Av., the Rev. W. T. Manning, S. T. D., Vicar.—Services at 6:45, 7:30, 9:45, 11:00, 4:00, 8:00.

St. Bartholomew's Church,
Madison Avenue, corner 44th Street,
The Rev. Leighton Parks, D. D., Rector.
8:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
Preacher, Rev. Robert B. Kimber.
4 P. M.—Evening Prayer and Address.
Preacher, the Rector.
Daily Noonday Services During Lent, 12:15 to 12:45.
Wednesday Evening, April 15th, at 8:15, Bach's "St. Matthew Passion Music."

At St. James's Church, Madison Av., 71st St.
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Confirmation By BISHOP COURTNEY.
8—Evg. Prayer, Sermon—Rev. H. M. KIRKBY.
STAINER'S "CRUCIFIXION."

All Angels' Church, West 81st St.
4 P. M.—Soloists, E. M. Waterhouse, Frank Croxton.

St. Mark's, 2d Av. and 10th St.—Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

REFORMED CHURCH.

The Middle Collegiate Church,
2d Av. and 7th St.,
Rev. JOHN G. FAGG, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Services on Good Friday at 8 P. M.

The Marble Collegiate Church,
5th Av. and 29th St.,
Rev. DAVID JAS. BURRELL, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning: "The King in Red Apparel."
Evening: "The Dream of the Exiles."
Services on Good Friday at 4 P. M.

The Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas,
5th Av. and 48th St.,
Rev. DONALD SAGE MACKAY, D.D., Minister.
Rev. Joseph Addison Jones of Albany will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning: "What Is Your Life?"
Evening: "The Divine Requirement."
Service on Good Friday at 11 A. M.
Rev. Abbott E. Kittredge, D. D., will preach.

The West End Collegiate Church,
West End Av. and 77th St.
Rev. HENRY EVERTSON COBB, D.D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
"The Crucifixion," by Sir John Stainer, by choir, at 8 P. M. Dr. Cobb's Bible Class for Men at 5 P. M. Services on Good Friday at 8 P. M. Dr. Cobb will preach.

Collegiate Reformed Church, Harlem, Rev. J. Elmendorf, D. D., Senior Pastor.
First Church, 121st St., near 3d Av., Pastor, Rev. Benj. E. Dickhaut. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Preaching by the pastor.
Lenox Av. Church, Cor. 123d St., Pastor, Rev. Edgar Tilton, Jr., D. D. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Preaching by Rev. William Walton Clark. HOLY WEEK, services every evening except Saturday at 8 o'clock.

Hamilton Grange Church, Convent Av. and West 149th St., Chalmers P. Dyke, Minister.—Services at 11 and 8. S. S., 9:30. Open pews.

People's Sunday Popular Service,
Under the auspices of
Madison Avenue Reformed Church.
To-morrow night (admission free) the last in the series of Sunday night services in the Belasco Theatre, 42d St., near Broadway. Doors open at 7:30. Service begins at 8. Special music. Bank Clerks' Glee Club, Violin, Harp, Cornet.
Dr. William Carter
will speak. Subject:
"An Appeal to Manhood Through Womanhood."
At the morning service in the church, Madison Av. and 57th St., the Rev. Dr. Hallenbeck, associate pastor of the Fifth Av. Presbyterian Church, will preach.

South Church,
Madison Av. and 38th St.,
Rev. THOMAS REED BRIDGES, D. D., Minister.
10 A. M., Children's Service.
11 A. M., Morning Worship and Sermon.
4 P. M., "The Redemption."
Good Friday, 8 P. M., "Stabat Mater."

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Theosophical Society, 244 Lenox Av.—Public lectures: Sunday, 8:15 P. M., "Christian Symbolism," C. E. Birdsall; next Tuesday evening, "Life."

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LOST—Tuesday, kodak, 3a., either on 1:28 train from Port Washington, L. I., or on 42d St. crosstown car from L. I. Ferry or Broadway car; reward. Finder notify J. W. Allison, 125 Riverside Drive.

LOST—Saturday afternoon, Hudson St., between Harrison and Chambers Sts., or on West 130th St., package papers, marked "H. R. Wright." Suitable reward if returned to 13 Harrison St.

LOST—Silver bracelet with vinegrette, 8th Av., between 112th and 116th, 9th Av. "L" station, or train to Cortlandt St., between 8 and 9 A. M., Friday. Reward. Coleman, 314 West 112th St.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, between 34th and 45th Sts., Broadway, April 7. No. 83,027; reward offered. Address M. C. H., Box 58 Times, Times Square.

LOST—On car to New York from Brooklyn, a black handbag, containing money, 2 rings and 2 checks; owner in need; ample reward. Miss Rudolph, 269 West 23d St., N. Y. C.

LOST—Tuesday, at 11 P. M., by an automobile passing 53d St., a gray overcoat. Liberal reward if returned to C. Berkeley, 430 West 116th St.

LOST—In Subway or elsewhere, April 3, three red folders containing business statements; have initials "S. B. F." and "A. S. Co." on covers.

LOST—Necklace; small round Roman gold pendant, with tassel carbuncle in centre; return to A. Greenbaum, 418 West 118th St.; reward.

LOST—Package, containing copy for Baldwin's Tourist Code. Reward for return to 24 Park Place, Room 17.

$20 REWARD for return of field glass in yellow leather case, on 5th Av., "L," between Brooklyn Bridge and Bay Ridge, Sunday, 1:30 A. M. 248 77th St., Brooklyn.

LOST AND FOUND BANK BOOKS.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

LOST—Bank book No. 1,014,656 of the Bowery Savings Bank is missing; the finder is requested to return it to the bank; if not restored before the 10th day of May, 1908, application will be made to the bank for a new book.

LOST—Bank book No. 15,368, Washington Savings Bank; payment stopped; kindly return to bank.

LOST AND FOUND CATS & DOGS.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

LOST—Fox terrier, head black, brown markings, tail black, docked very short; four black spots on back, one on right shoulder; reward. Lee, 52 East 63d St.

LOST—Small brindle bitch; lower teeth show; spiked collar; white markings. Notify Dr. McDuffie, 571 Park Av. 'Phone 2278—Plaza.

$25 REWARD for the return of an orange and white Japanese spaniel dog and very small black Pomeranian bitch puppy; no questions asked. Senn, 278 West 11th St.

FOUND.

FOUND, April 9—Interborough Rapid Transit Company, 39 Greenwich St.: On Second Av. Elevated—Coat, money, purse, waist, trousers, disinfectant. On Third Av. Elevated—Vest, belt, rubber covering, seeds, cane, 2 purses, 2 eyeglasses, 2 roll papers, roll lithographes, 2 books, law papers, gloves, fur. On Sixth Av. Elevated—Knife, 3 umbrellas, watch, purse, hat, tin measure, mouldings, brass rods, 3 gloves, rolls paper, laundry ticket. On Ninth Av. Elevated—Underwear, strainer, satchel, bookkeeper's outfit, eyeglass, 2 books, odd glove, samples cloth. In Subway—Auto guide, 2 books, blue prints, shoes, keys, pkg. films, umbrella, eyeglasses, purse, watch, pocketbook, bag tools, pkg. papers, legal papers, bundle bills, trousers, boa, lady's underwear, muffler.

FOUND, April 9—Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, 168 Montague St., Brooklyn.: On Elevated Lines—Book, clothes, pen, boa, photo, pocketbook, umbrella. On Surface Lines—Satchel, feed bag, gloves, beads, shoes, photo, cloth, pocketbook, umbrellas.

FOUND, April 9—D., L. & W. R. R., Hoboken, N. J.—5 umbrellas, collars, file, 4 packages, grip, satchel.

FOUND, April 10—New England Navigation Company. Apply office Commissary, foot Warren st.: Fall River Line S. S. Providence—Pocketbook, hat pin, 3 pr. rubbers, night shirt, Bridgepart Line S. S. Naugatuck—Ring. Norwich Line S. S. Lowell—Umbrella.

FOUND, April 9—Pennsylvania R. R., Jersey City, N. J.: On Trains—2 pr. slippers, mirror, suit pajamas, rubbers, gloves, umbrella, pen, veil, pin, 2 hats, package plans. In Waiting Room—Boa, grip.

FOUND, April 9—N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Grand Central Station—8 umbrellas, 11 packages, gloves, boa, muff, book, eyeglasses, 2 suit cases, key, memo. book.

FOUND, April 9—Erie R. R., Jersey City: 4 umbrellas, suit case, book, hat, pocketbook.

FOUND, April 9—Jersey Central R. R., Jersey City: 2 umbrellas, pr. gloves, package, valise, box.

FOUND, April 9—Long Island R. R., Long Island City: Package, umbrellas, book.

FOUND, April 10—Police Headquarters, 300 Mulberry St.: 1 whip, 1 valise, books, clothing, etc., quantity cutlery, clothing, etc.

BOARDERS WANTED.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

West Side.

7TH AV., 2,053, 123d St.—Comfortable, homelike rooms; well-kept house; finest board; elegant location.

39TH ST., 57 WEST.—Board and rooms for persons with reliable references; Southern home.

68TH ST., 44 WEST—Elegant large and small rooms; board optional; parlor dining room; unsurpassed for cleanliness and home coking.

72D ST., 131 WEST.—High-class house; private baths; reference.

72D ST., 134 WEST.—Desirable rooms, shower baths; parlor dining room; excellent table.

76TH ST., 108 WEST.—Hall room; running water; in well-kept house; excellent board; references.

80TH ST., 154 WEST.—Second floor; large front room; also hall room; parlor dining room.

91ST ST., 48 WEST.—Large, small rooms, delightful Summer location, near Subway, elevated; parlor dining.

104TH ST., 61 WEST.—Miss Lemmon has some desirable vacancies; refined, homelike surroundings; parlor dining room; unexcelled cuisine; references: Southerners, table guests.

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879 WEST END AVE., Corner 103d, Block from Riverside Park, Subway Express station and surface cars; most beautiful and sanitary location New York; handsomely furnished rooms, private baths, and private telephones; superior table; no dust, dirt, or noisy street cars; more foliage than country, none of its disadvantages.

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WASHINGTON HEIGHTS, 525 WEST 150TH.—Desirable room; refined American private family; excellent table; references.

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1.—IRVING PLACE, 53.—Nicholas Fish mansion; attractive to those appreciating quiet, well-ordered house; references desired; breakfast served in rooms.

1.—43D ST., 9 EAST.—Handsome rooms, with private bath; parlor dining room; references; telephone.

17TH ST., 116 EAST.—Desirable rooms, with board; exceptionally good table.

21ST ST., 139 EAST, Gramercy Park.—Furnished rooms, with board; running water; all conveniences.

MADISON AV., 432, cor. 49th St.—Very pleasant sitting room and bedroom, on parlor floor, or suitable for doctor's office.

MADISON AV., 673, 694, 696, (61st.)—Suites and separate room $18 to $28 with board, two persons; single, $8 to $12.

Brooklyn.

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FURNISHED ROOMS.

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ACCOMMODATIONS in every section of Manhattan, Bronx, and Brooklyn, personally inspected; tell us your wants; list mailed free; if you have desirable vacancies consult us. Telephone 5975—38th. Temple Rental Company, 110 West 34th St.

West Side.

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43D ST., 148 WEST.—Nice large and small rooms; exceptionally reasonable for Times Square location.

58TH ST., 210 WEST.—Very desirable rooms in well-furnished and quiet house; conference

SMALL WANTS.

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West Side.

51ST ST., 351 WEST.—Two large and small rooms; private house; nice locality; moderate; gentlemen.

77TH ST., 111 WEST.—Physician's office, furnished or unfurnished; sleeping quarters if desired; hall service and reception room.

77TH ST., 111 WEST.—Summer rates; references.

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91ST ST., 74 WEST.—Newly furnished rooms; doctor's apartments; near Subway, "L."

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BROADWAY, 2,465, (91st St. Subway.)—Suite or singly, two or three outside rooms; elevator. Keeler.

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East Side.

18TH ST., 316 EAST.—Large, comfortable room, all accommodations, private house, near Subway, L station.

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72D ST., 154 EAST.—Very desirable furnished rooms, without board.

LEXINGTON AV., 624, (54th St.)—Doctor or dentist, furnished back parlor, with sleeping accommodations, use of reception room, all conveniences; references from last occupant; breakfast optional; telephone.

THE RALEIGH, 665 BROADWAY.—Just the place for downtown business men; special rate, $3 up per week.

TWO connecting rooms, bath; single rooms; breakfast optional; telephone. Allan, 162 East 87th.

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Studios for living and business; closets, water, heat, gas, and 'phone. 228 West 58th St.

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Physician wants office and room, electric light, good telephone and door service, on West 77th or 78th St. Physician, Box 22 Times, Times Sq.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

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WANTED—Jewish trained nurse to take charge of reception hospital of the Hebrew Orphan Asylum. Apply in person, with references, to the Superintendent of the asylum, 137th St. and Amsterdam Av., New York City.

Stenographers.

WANTED — Stenographer-typewriter; Remington; familiar with addressing envelopes; fac simile letters; accuracy preferred to speed; permanent position; salary according to ability; give experience and reference. W., Box 125 Times Downtown.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED.—Ladies with leisure time instructed in the art of selling real estate; making $50 weekly. Albert Edwards, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

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LEARN TO BE A CHAUFFEUR—there is money in it. Bring your overalls and spend a day or evening with us before you pay a dollar. We give practical as well as theoretical instruction. Day and night classes. Best American and foreign cars always being repaired. Call or write. American Automart, 209 West 49th St., N. Y.

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WANTED—Episcopal organist for Long Island church; $300. Webster's Choir Exchange, 136 5th Av.

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Salesmen.

WANTED—By large lace importing house, salesman of good address and familiar with high-class trade in the large cities of New York, Ohio, Michigan, and Pennsylvania; only first-class men need apply. S. V., Box 27 Times, Times Square.

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Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—Advertising solicitor on daily newspaper to solicit cards for daily trade directory on commission. Address S. R., Box 145 Times, Times Square.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

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Accountants.

ACCOUNT BOOKS written up and audited; house bills examined, checked, paid, and filed monthly; check books balanced; reports and statements compiled; accounts of societies, general and personal accounts supervised and audited. Viola D. Waring, 422 West 20th St. Telephone 4816 Chelsea.

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BOOKKEEPER.—Experienced double, single entry; quick at figures, typist; references. C., 16 Times, Times Square.

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COMPANION or ATTENDANT.—Practical nurse will accept position as companion or attend to invalid at reasonable rate; would leave city; highest New York City; references. Nurse, Box 16 Times, Times Square.

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Governesses, teachers, housekeepers, for hotels, families; matrons, attendants, nurses, &c. Hopkins Educational Agency, 1 Union Sq. 4023 Stuy.

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STENOGRAPHER, TYPEWRITER, and general office assistant.—Eight months' experience; neat, accurate, painstaking; best references; $7-$8. Exceptional, 145 Times Downtown.

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STENOGRAPHER, TYPIST; 4 years' experience; rapid, accurate, neat, punctual; $12. L., Box 110 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Nineteen; fifteen months' experience; law preferred; $8. Miss Gladys, Box 145 Times Downtown.

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JAILER'S DEFI CAST IN SHERIFF'S FACE

I Am the Jailer in the Jailer's House and He Can't Put Me Out, Says Banning.

HIS SUPPLIES CUT OFF

And Charges by the Sheriff, to be Heard by the Sheriff, in Preparation—Two-Man War in Richmond.

You go across on the ferry to St. George, Staten Island, and there you take a trolley car. On this you ride for nearly an hour. When it stops, to start on the back trip to St. George, you are in Richmond, the county seat of the Borough and County of Richmond.

When the car has rattled away you can hear a rooster away over the hill crowing. Up on the gentle hill, a step or two along the road, is a gray building, with huge round pillars, supporting the roof to what seems an abnormally small porch. The cement-covered pillars are crisscrossed with the black stems of vines which will presently transform the gray and black into all green.

This is in New York City, and that's the reason why a stirring contest is brewing behind the front doors of the ancient gray building. For just behind the old court house is a new jail, and by the side of the jail is a brand new brick two-story and basement cottage. The great point at issue in the contest is: Shall Sheriff Barth occupy the fine new jailer's cottage because of his county office, or shall Jailer Banning continue to hold it because he has a city official's opinion, which seems to say that he can?

In January, 1907, Barth took office as Sheriff. He found in the new jailer's cottage on the hill Thomas J. Banning, who had been Under Sheriff for ten years under three Sheriffs. Mr. Banning had been doing the clerical work in the Sheriff's office and looking after the jail also. He had passed a civil service examination to get the appointment.

Mr. Barth appointed another man his under-Sheriff. Mr. Banning retained the title of jailer; he also remained in the fine new jailer's cottage with his wife and five children. Following custom, he continued, too, to set out luncheon in the jailer's house for the Supreme Court Justices and other high court officers when these happened to be in the gray old court house.

On the first of this year Sheriff Barth decided that he would move his family, consisting of himself, his wife and one child, from Stapleton into the new cottage on the hill. He was told that Banning would not leave the house, so his effects remained at Stapleton.

The next step in the controversy was taken on March 5, when the Sheriff wrote a letter to Jailer Banning telling him to move out of the cottage immediately, as he had decided that he could better discharge his duties as Sheriff by living in the new house and keeping an eye on the jail.

To get from the Sheriff's offices, which are the two front rooms of the Court House, out into the jail it is necessary to take ten steps down a hall. But after sending this letter it was the latter part of March before the Sheriff received a reply from Jailer Banning, inclosing an opinion from the Corporation Counsel, which had been obtained by Borough President Cromwell at the solicitation of Mr. Banning.

The opinion was to the effect that the county buildings were now city buildings; that the new cottage on the hill at Richmond had been built for the official jailer, and that Mr. Banning as such official jailer was entitled to remain therein.

Whereupon Sheriff Barth consulted William M. Mullens of 202 Broadway, his lawyer. As Sheriff he cut off the groceries that had been going into the jailer's house in the name of Richmond, and since then the Supreme Court Justices and others who used to lunch there have had to go to a nearby eating place.

Furthermore, Sheriff Barth took out of the hands of Jailer Banning the business of feeding the prisoners. It is now none other than the Sheriff who orders all the groceries; none other than he who calls Mrs. Edith O'Brien, the jail cook, into his office every afternoon to discuss the details of the next day's jail menu.

"I am going to prefer charges against Banning," said the Sheriff, crossing his legs, yesterday afternoon in his private office. "I shall charge him with insubordination. He has spoken in a manner about me to subordinates of mine tending to breed mutiny here.

"One time the cook remarked that his orders were crossing mine. He said, as I am told: 'To hell with the Sheriff.' That is but a sample.

"I shall charge him with absence from duty without leave. I shall get him on five or six counts of that sort. I shall have the charges presented by myself to myself to-morrow. On Wednesday, March 22, I shall preside at the hearing, and I shall pronounce sentence. If he be found guilty, why then I shall immediately remove him. I am the boss of the jail, not any of the city officials."

Mr. Banning sat in a little room inside the jail. "I have been here eleven years," he said. "The Sheriff is my superior, but my duties are laid down by law. Why, I had this cottage out here built. It is the jailer's house. I am the jailer; Mr. Barth is the Sheriff.

"He told me to get out of it. I didn't do it. He can prefer charges against me, prosecute me, and judge me. There is an appeal to the Supreme Court. He sat quiet. He is getting old. He smoked his pipe, and almost dropped asleep. A jail yard rooster drooned a long crow.

"And I am in the jailer's house," he murmured.

CHAS. A. MURPHEY A SUICIDE.

Well-Known Promoter and Lawyer Kills Himself in the Astor House.

Charles A. Murphey, for many years a well-known New York lawyer, a former President of the Brooklyn Heights Improvement Company, one of the promoters of the Key West Electric Lighting and Railway Company, a cousin of Robert C. and Willis Ogden, and a son-in-law of ex-Mayor Lambert of Brooklyn, committed suicide by shooting himself at the Astor House some time yesterday morning in a fit of despondency due to financial reverses.

That the suicide of Mr. Murphey was not unexpected by his friends, who had realized several days ago that he was not himself, was the statement made yesterday afternoon by Frank Bailey, Vice President of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, who married Mr. Murphey's sister. Mr. Bailey said Mr. Murphey had put all of his wealth into the Key West electric lighting and railway scheme, and as a result of that venture had given his note for a large amount (said to be about $150,000,) which was due in June, and which, Mr. Murphey knew, it would be impossible for him to meet.

Mr. Murphey until eight years ago was a member of the law firm of Murphey & Metcalf of 15 Wall Street. When he retired from the firm he retained his offices in the building, from where he directed the affairs of the Brooklyn Heights Improvement Company. He never speculated in Wall Street, but was "just a rainbow chaser," as Mr. Bailey put it, and when the crash came it caught him and he found he was unable to extricate himself.

The register of the Astor House shows that Mr. Murphey went there shortly before midnight on Thursday. He registered in his right name, and went immediately to his room. When he shot himself is conjectural, but the Coroner believes it was somewhere between midnight and 3 A. M. When the room was opened yesterday the body was found in bed with the covers drawn over the head, the suicide evidently having done that to muffle the report of the pistol. The bullet had pierced the brain.

In the room was found a cheap revolver and a box of cartridges and a torn-up letter, which when pieced together proved to be one writen to Mrs. Murphey. It read:

"When this letter reaches you my body will be floating in the waters of the river. I think this is the best course to take for the benefit of all. Your husband,

"JACK."

At Mr. Murphey's home, 279 Henry Street, Brooklyn, which is directly opposite that of Henry Sanger Snow, the fugitive defaulting cashier of the New York Telephone Company, it was said that Mrs. Murphey was prostrated by grief.

Mr. Murphey was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, and at one time was Superintendent of its Sunday school. He was a member of the Hamilton Boat Club, the Lawyers, and other clubs. He had a Summer home, the Breezes, at West Hampton, L. I.

WILLIAMSBURG TRUST TO OPEN

Depositors Won Over from Plan to Liquidate the Company.

Brooklyn banking circles were surprised yesterday when it was announced that the Directors of the Williamsburg Trust Company had decided to reopen the institution. Only a short time ago the depositors voted for liquidation.

Several of the Directors, however, who have been against liquidation won over the others to the idea of a resumption of business, and a large number of the depositors have fallen in line.

The receiver now has in his hands $1,300,000 in cash, which the Directors say they are confident can be increased to $3,000,000 before the reopening. It is understood that the Directors are prepared to loan money to the institution. The plan of resumption, it is believed, will include an assessment of stock and a deferred payment scheme.

CITY BREVITIES.

The Fall River Line steamers Priscilla and Puritan, completely renovated, will resume service next week, taking the place of the Providence and the Plymouth.

The motion in the Apellate Division to remove Justice Joseph M. Deuel of Special Sessions or confirm the referee's report, which absolves him on all charges affecting his judicial office, was postponed yesterday for a hearing on Thursday, April 16.

The Military Service Institution of the United States has awarded its first prize, a gold medal, $100, and life membership, to Capt. A. W. Bjornstad, Twenty-eighth United States Infantry, for the best essay on "The Military Necessities of the United States and the Best Provisions for Meeting Them." The second prize, a silver medal, $50, and honorable mention, to Major W. E. Ellis, Coast Artillery. The Santiago Prize for 1907 ($50) has been awarded to Major A. M. Edwards, Subsistence Department.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

A. M.	Loss.
3:10—2,454 8th Av.; Michaelson Brothers	$200
4:25—308 3d Av.; owner unknown	Trifling
5:55—9-15 Murray St.; Dauchy & Co.	$2,000
6:20—353 W. 15th St.; owner unknown	$10
8:30—22 W. 3d St.; Karl Light	None.
9:50—530 E. 139th St.; Edward O'Brien	$50
10:40—85 Amsterdam Av.; M. Tsakorigs.	Trifling
P. M.	
12:01—68 E. 117th St.; John Seidenberg	$10
4:45—121st St. and Morningside Parkway; owner unknown	$50
6:00—182 Claremont Av.; G. Abiteldiotc	$5
6:05—250 and 252 Monroe St.; J. Doethalsky.	Trifling
7:30—128 Thompson St.; T. Simmonds	$300
7:50—7 Great Jones St.; Jacobson's Brill Trim Hat Co.	$500
9:45—853 Pleasant Av.; P. Alteria	$10
9:50—149 Forsyth St.; Henry Seigle	$25

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

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ACCOUNTANT.—Books audited, systems installed; clerical work of all kinds; household and private accounts. H. A. Wright, 602 Flatiron Building.

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CHAUFFEUR.—Young man; good education and appearance; thoroughly competent; year's experience driving Columbia, Locomobile; private family; city or country. Address O., Box 204 Times, Times Square.

CHAUFFEUR.—Swiss, (23,) of good habits and character, desires position in country or touring with private family; foreign or American car; best references. A. H., Box 58 Times, Times Square.

CHAUFFEUR.—Experienced mechanic; city or country; references. R. Braun, 357 West 50th St.

CHAUFFEUR.—Intelligent, conservative driver; good mechanic. Dixon, 941 6th Av.

Coachmen.

COACHMAN.—Married; best references; willing to make himself useful. Coachman, 153 6th Av.

Gardeners.

GARDENER.—By young man on lady's or gentleman's country place; three years' experience; references. J. M., Box 21 Times, Times Square.

Valets.

VALET and MASSEUR.—By young man as valet and masseur; willing to travel; age 25; best references and diploma. English. Box 27 Times, Times Square.

VALET.—By valet, including barber services. "Wallace," 387 Gates Av., Brooklyn.

Miscellaneous.

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TOPICS OF THE WEEK.

AN alleged, or at least unidentified, Englishman who has been "doing" Charleston, S. C., makes an astounding assertion in The New York Sun. He declares there were no Lady Baltimores in Charleston until after Owen Wister went there. We have all been fancying that Mr. Wister's famous novel celebrated a bake-shop confection of rich historical associations. The Englishman says Charleston's plain, sound, digestible cake was called Lady Washington. One day while Mr. Wister was in the shop where it is most sold, the Woman's Exchange, a prospective bridegroom came in to order a wedding cake. He was going to marry a Baltimore girl. So, to oblige him, they put some more sugar and things in the Lady Washington and renamed it Lady Baltimore. Thus is one more illusion shattered. The historical perspective of Lady Baltimore has vanished, along with Washington's cherry tree and the apple Tell shot from his son's head.

The Louisville Courier-Journal complains of the inaccuracies in some of the magazines. These periodicals, it says, are apt to boast of their superiority as faithful chroniclers to the daily newspapers. Yet they often misstate simple facts. The reason is that human nature tends to inaccuracy. Mistakes in the magazines are just as excusable as mistakes in the daily newspapers, which employ multitudes of men in all departments to secure accuracy. The Courier-Journal says:

> When a catastrophe occurs in the Straits of Magellan and a picture of the Bering Straits is served with the coffee and eggs in an American city or in London there is the excuse that the label was missing from the cut, and that the night editor did not have time to look over the ground at the scene of the disaster, but when a magazine editor in New Yorks reads the "copy" in December upon an article that is to be published in March there is no excuse for his not applying the philosophy of Davy Crockett. And as long as he does not do so the periodicals cannot command attention as superiors of the press in point of accuracy of detail and sincerity of purpose.

The substitution of the wrong cut is explained, but scarcely excused. It is the night editor's business to know Bering Strait from the Strait of Magellan. It is an editor's business to know everything. To be sure, the magazine editor may have read his March "copy" in December, but the April, May, and June "copy" was even then piling up. He, too, is always busy, and alertness of intellect is his only salvation. After all, considering the great mass of printed matter and the manifold weakness of humanity for saying the wrong thing, there are comparatively few misstatements of ascertainable facts in either the magazines or the newspapers. Misleading expressions of opinion are another story.

George Meredith is keenly interested in the work of the Liverpool Society for Excavation and Research in Wales and the Marches. Wales is full of hidden history and buried romance. It was the birthplace of the round table legends, and it was the scene of great doings under the Romans. In a letter to the committee the author of "The Adventures of Harry Richmond" says:

> Researches that may even chance to throw some light on the period of the Roman occupation of Britain would be of priceless value to our national history, and a refreshment to Welshmen.
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> We cannot hope to know in what degree Roman civilization affected the minds and put a polish on the bearing of the primitive people; it may well have been to an extent sufficient to justify a belief in the real foundation of the legends and poems that have come to us, showing a spirit of courteousness and chivalry in striking contrast with the barbarism of the subsequent invaders. But any effort is worth the cost, that we may know more than we do at present.

The question, When is a novel not a novel? is being fought out in a London court. When Mr. S. R. Crockett's book, "Me and Myn, Limited," was about to be publishd last June by Mr. T. Fisher Unwin, a rival publishing house, that of James Clarke & Co., was about to issue another Crockett book, "Vida," under a contract with the author which described it as the only novel of his to appear that season. The Clarkes sent out to the trade a circular stating that "Me and Myn, Limited," was not a novel, but only a slight collection of stories on stamp collecting. The result of this was that many orders for the book were cut down, hence the suit. It was brought out in the hearing that "Me and Myn" was a complete story, with a hero, a heroine, love, and a marriage. Those who have read this product of Mr. Crockett's facile pen may nevertheless be permitted to doubt, whatever the court's decision be, its right to be described as a novel.

It was just twenty years ago that Mrs. Humphry Ward's "Robert Elsmere" was published. Its career since that time has been an interesting one. Soon after its appearance it was translated into German, Danish, and Swedish, but not until fifteen years later—that is, five years ago—did a Latin or Catholic country attempt its translation. Then it was translated simultaneously into Italian and French. M. Frederick Bruneüère, who reprinted the major part of the novel in Le Revue des Deux Mondes, then explained to Mrs. Ward that "the ideas of religious reconstruction in 'Robert Elsmere' could not have been taken seriously by the French fifteen years before, but had since gained such hold in church and seminaries that his Church was obliged to mirror them."

In the report of a dinner speech given as a toast to famous American writers at the Lyceum Club banquet, where May Sinclair presided and Gertrude Atherton was the guest of honor, a London newspaper gives the following version of some rather well-known names: Juliet Wilbur Simpkins, John Sutner Long, Louise Imogen Gurney, James Murrell, James Saul Allen, Mary E. Williams, and Mrs. Julia Ward Horne.

"Chantecler," the new play by M. Rostand, which is to be produced by M. Coquelin at the Porte-Saint-Martin Theatre, Paris, next Winter, is a human presentment in the style of Aristophanes and the tales of the Middle Ages, of the life and manners of the animal world. It opens with a hymn to the sun, said to be of great beauty.

Interest in Queen Victoria's recently published letters is still fresh as the announcement comes that King Edward has authorized the publication of Sir Theodore Martin's "Queen Victoria as I knew Her." This volume will be issued by Messrs. Blackwood in May.

The time limit on the $1,000 novel contest being carried on by the Outing Publishing Company has been fixed for May 1.

MARTIN LUTHER'S LETTERS

Self-Revealing Correspondence with Friends and Foes—All the Ardor of His Nature Displayed in Characteristic Epistles.

LOVED GERMANY, JESTING & RELIGION

A Lover of Birds and Beasts, But a Good Hater of Men.

> I MUST always joke whether sick or well, weak or strong, a sinner and yet justified, well-nigh dead and yet alive in Christ. * * * I wish to talk German, if it be not too difficult or too tiresome, too high flown or too deep. I beg of you to ask a boy to collect all German pictures, rhymes, songs, books, &c, which have been painted, composed, or printed by your German poets and printers this year, for I have a reason for asking this. We can make Latin books here ourselves, but we are busy learning to write German books, which we hope to make so good that every one shall be pleased with them. Farewell in Christ. Pray for me. The Lord be with you and yours.

In these few lines addressed to his dear friend, Wenzel Link, in the Spring of 1536, at the age of 53, Dr. Martin Luther, Professor at the University of Wittenberg, touched on three of the chief interests of his tremendously active and zealous life—religion, love of the German language and land, and jesting. If to these we add the love of friends, of family, and of good food and drink, we have the subjects that stand out most sharply and continually in the volume of selected letters translated by Margaret A. Currie.*

In this volume there are an even half-thousand letters selected from some five times that number that have been preserved. Naturally they do not give a complete picture of the man or of his stormy career, but they have been chosen with judgment and sympathy, and are intensely interesting. The notes accompanying them are useful, though somewhat insufficient. Their value would be enhanced by a fuller and more careful index.

Luther was born in 1483, about a quarter of a century from the publication of the first book printed from movable type in the Western World. At 18 his faithful and affectionate father sent him to study jurisprudence at Erfurt. At 22 he became a lecturer on Aristotle; at 23 a monk; at 24 a priest; at 25 Professor of Philosophy at the new University of Wittenberg; at 29 a Doctor of Theology; at 37 was excommunicated, and the next year put under the ban of the empire, an outlaw whom no one might lawfully shelter, and any one might lawfully destroy; at 42 he married, and at 62 he died. In these letters the reader will naturally seek most for indications of the character of the man rather than for connected knowledge of his career, and his quest will be abundantly rewarded. They are addressed for the most part to Luther's friends, though there are examples, and striking ones, of his manner of addressing his foes, of whom he had a multitude, whom he pitied, prayed for, reviled, scolded, and occasionally cursed with all the ardor his nature manifested in whatever mood he happened to be.

The brighter and sweeter side of that nature is dominant, however, in these pages. They leave especially no doubt of the fervor and sincerity of Luther's religious sentiment. It was constant with him, and constituted by far the most intimate personal experience of his life, if we may judge by the form its expression takes in these letters. He was inclined to intense emotion, which the habit of extreme penances and mortifications indulged in in his early manhood served to fix upon him. It is plain that he believed himself to be at frequent intervals in direct communication with the Christ on the one hand and with the devil on the other. Of the authority of his revelations from the former or of the reality of his fierce conflicts with the latter Luther entertained no shadow of a doubt. Inevitably in the environment by which he was circled this tendency led to what would now be called superstition. "Believe me," he writes to his beloved Wittenbergers, who had neglected his counsels, "I know the devil well, and he is at the root of all this." And, writing after the funeral of the Elector of Saxony, he says: "The signs of his death were a

*THE LETTERS OF MARTIN LUTHER. [illegible]

shallow, which Philip (Melancthon) and I saw one night last Winter (he was writing in May) over the Lochau, and a child was born here in Wittenberg without a head." His mind was almost helplessly inclined to passionate utterance which was not always consistent with itself. In a letter (in 1521) concerning the Thirty-seventh Psalm, "which exhorts us to 'cease from anger and forsake wrath,'" Luther thus refers to his "enemies": "I teach them; they revile me. I pray for them; they despise my prayers. I scold them; they scorn me. What more can I do? for Christ says, 'As he delighted not in blessing, so let it be far from him; he clothed himself with cursing as with a garment.'" And then with almost whimsical confusion of moods: "But we must pray for the poor little company who are being led astray by them, that they may be delivered out of the claws of the murderer of souls at Rome, and of his apostles."

One must, of course, remember, in seeking the true meaning of this extravagant language, the habit of mind that prevailed in Germany at that time and among the company of whom Luther was the leader and the exponent. If they denounced their enemies as murderers inspired by the devil it was their response to the burnings and the torture with which the latter sought to restrain and silence them. And it must be remembered, too, that on neither side of the strenuous conflict over religious beliefs was there any doubt that eternal life and even eternal torment depended absolutely on the correctness of a man's opinions on theology. If Luther dubbed the Pope a "murderer of souls," he thoroughly believed that souls were actually murdered by the Pope. It is interesting, however, and something of a relief to the modern mind, which can with difficulty even imagine the effect of such beliefs sincerely harbored, to note in these letters of the militant religious reformer the evidences that the ordinary events of human life impressed and molded him as they do us, and that his life of struggle held ample time for sweet friendship, for still sweeter family affection, for the love of letters and the exercise of scholarship, for a delight in nature rarely expressed in those days, and for the sportive pleasantry of a nature essentially kindly, happy, and free.

Luther's love of birds and animals was akin to that of his dear friend, Albrecht Dürer, "that superior man," that "excellent man," manifested with such marvelous beauty in his drawings. From Wartburg, where the Elector of Saxony held him a petted prisoner to protect him from the Emperor's hate, he wrote constantly of the birds, "who sing beautifully on the trees, praising God night and day with all their might," and chronicled with joy the appearance of the first nightingale. He went hunting "to get a taste of the pleasures which fine gentlemen love so well," and tried to rescue a poor hare by hiding it under his coat, "but the dogs discovered it and bit its leg through the coat, and choked it, so we found it dead. Thus do the Pope and Satan despite my efforts to try to ruin saved souls." From Coburg, where he was awaiting the results of the momentous conference at Augsburg, he wrote in the lightest vein to his wife about the daws, "which signify a whole army of sophists," and announcing with keen interest that though "the nightingale is not to be heard, its forerunner and imitator, the cuckoo, is raising its exquisite voice * * *." And there is a witty and elaborate "petition" addressed to himself by "thrushes, blackbirds, linnets, goldfinches, along with other well-disposed birds who are spending the Summer at Wittenberg," praying him to restrain his servant from setting nets for them.

Among the pleasantest revelations of Luther's character in these letters are those to his wife and children or concerning them. To the former his tone is invariably most affectionate and usually playful. She is "Käthie, my wife and commander," "my kind and dear Käthie," "my dearly beloved housewife Katherine Luther, owner of Zulsdorf and the Saumarket, and whatever else she may be," or "my dear wife, Katherine Luther, doctoress and self-tormentor at Wittenberg, my gracious lady"—this within a few weeks of his death, and occasioned by his wife's anxiety for his health; "the saintly, anxious lady at Wittenberg, my gracious dear wife." For his children he shows the most constant and tender solicitude, and maintains a vigilant care of their training. His letters to his son are as full of joyous sympathy with youth as of wisdom and fatherly anxiety.

It is to be noted with gratitude that these letters are rendered into most satisfactory English, simple, flexible, expressive, and natural. They constitute a work unique in its value and interest. E. C.

CONGRESSMAN KERR ON JOHN SHERMAN

Biography of Unusual Fullness —Origin of the Anti-Trust Law — The Silver Purchase Act.

THIS book* appears to have been written in obedience to a testamentary injunction of John Sherman himself, who made provision in his will for "the writing of an impartial biography," imposing, however, the condition that "this provision is not made to secure a eulogy, for I am conscious of many faults. But I claim that in my duty to the public I have been honest, faithful, and true."

Mindful of this limitation, the biographer has successfully refrained from eulogy. The book is hardly an appreciation; it is a record. We should say that in many particulars it is an unnecessarily full record, since letters, documents, narrative, and recital are presented with an amplitude warranted only by the supposition that the book would find readers eager for the minutest details of the statesman's life. In the State of Ohio politics are intense and absorbing. Conceivably some white-haired wheelhorse of the party, ignorant of bridge and indifferent to the interests and the chatter of newer generations, might agreeably while away the languid hours in reading the letters which set forth the origin, progress, culmination, and ending of the "coolness" between Gov. Foraker and Senator Sherman in 1887 over the question of the adoption by the State Convention of a resolution indorsing the Senator as a candidate for the Presidency. To the average reader of the biography, however, these matters are of but the faintest interest. Nor do the earlier years of Mr. Sherman's public service at Washington, let us say the years prior to 1874, when he assumed the leadership in the struggle for resumption of specie payments, kindle the same interest that attaches to his championship of later causes and his activities during the last quarter of the century, during which he was a conspicuous figure at the National Capital, commanding the attention of large numbers of his countrymen still living, who pretend to a more or less intimate familiarity with those measures and achievements which, even in these days, bring his name frequently to public notice.

The three measures with which John Sherman's name is most closely associated, with an implication of authorship and chief part in the parliamentary labors that secured their enactment, are the Resumption act of 1874 and the Anti-Trust act and Silver Purchase act of 1890. The history of these laws in their origin and passage is very fully given by Mr. Kerr, just as they had already been given by Congressman Theodore E. Burton in his much briefer, but, perhaps, more satisfactory, biography of Sherman written for the American Statesmen Series. With the greater space at his command, Mr. Kerr ventures to present very considerable citations from the Senatorial debates. To the student and the curious in such matters this is interesting and convenient; it saves the labor of consulting The Congressional Record.

The resumption of specie payments had been much talked about since 1869, when the act was passed to strengthen the public credit. Nothing had been done, however, but the panic of 1873, and notably the election of a Democratic majority in the House of Representatives in 1874, impressed the Administration party with its responsibility and with the need of immediate action. Mr. Sherman was made Chairman of the Senate Committee to prepare a bill, which he reported on Dec. 21, 1874. Of all the Republican Senators he was, perhaps, the best qualified for this task. He was fitted for it, not only by his sincere devotion to the purpose of the bill, but also by his aptitude for compromise and concession. The mistake of the Resumption act was, of course, its provision for the reissue of the greenbacks after redemption. That, forged the "endless chain," the later cause of unnumbered evils, Mr. Sherman probably did not personally believe that greenbacks, once redeemed, should be reissued. He was too well grounded in financial principles to have accepted a policy so illogical and fatuous. But the greenback was popular. It was the people's currency. It had "carried us through the war," and the Senator felt that a majority could not be commanded for a bill that would entirely do away with Government notes. Accordingly he frankly declared that in the measure drawn chiefly by him and Senator Edmunds they did not propose "to decide that question." It was left for action by some future Congress, and there, in this year 1908, it still remains.

It is the opinion of Mr. Kerr that if it had been thought necessary to inscribe upon the plain granite block at John Sherman's grave bearing no epitaph the deeds and order of his greatest achievements and those things which he wrought from which his countrymen had received the greatest good, "his services in the enactment of the anti-trust law of 1890 would appropriately stand near the top." The history of the anti-trust law and of its effects is still in the making. Very recent experience of its operation would incline many Americans to the belief that Mr. Kerr's opinion is disputable. For one thing, the biographer does set forth the ignoble origin of the act. The policy it embodies did not originate with Mr. Sherman. In the Fiftieth Congress, from 1887 to 1889, some forty bills and resolutions were introduced to suppress, regulate, or investigate trusts. The bill which, after much amendment, became the Sherman act was introduced by the Senator as the first measure of the Congress that met in December, 1889. But it was not an anti-trust bill at all. It was intended as a counterbalance to the protective tariff, as a remedy for evils notoriously engendered by the policy of imposing high protective duties. In Mr. Kerr's own words, "it applied only to arrangements or agreements made with the intention to prevent full and free competition in the importation, transportation, or sale of domestic articles which competed with any similar articles upon which a duty is levied by the United States," when transported from one State or Territory to another. It did not reach the great combinations upon which, in more recent times, the enginery of the Federal Government has been trained, and had no relation whatever to railroads.

It is interesting to note that the intent of the author of this bill and the intent of Congress in enacting it in the form it finally took was to punish "unlawful combinations, unlawful at common law." "It does not announce a new principle of law," said Senator Sherman, "but applies old and well-recognized principles of the common law to the complicated jurisdiction of our State and Federal Governments." It was intended, that is, to punish not all restraints of trade, but only those that were unreasonable and injurious restraints that had always been punishable by the State at common law. It did not aim at "the lawful and useful combination," but only at the "unlawful combination." It was the omission of the word "unreasonable" from the act that gave the Supreme Court the opportunity, or, as Mr. Justice Peckham, who wrote the opinion in the Trans-Missouri case, felt, put it under the necessity of declaring that the act applied to all combinations whether the restraint effected was reasonable or unreasonable.

In reciting the history of the Silver Purchase act of 1890, it seems to us that Mr. Kerr fails in candor. Perhaps he was unfamiliar with the political intrigues of that year, a defect that, since he is an Ohio man, must be held to constitute a serious reproach to him. Mr. Burton in his biography exhibits a knowledge of the fact, and is not ashamed to state it. It was a matter of contemporaneous public knowledge that the passage of the bill requiring the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase 4,500,000 ounces of silver bullion every month was a piece of flagrant and shameless log-rolling, the price paid over to the silver men to secure their support for the Dingley tariff bill. Mr. Burton says:

Of the eighty-four Senators the thirty-eight Democrats were nearly unanimous for the free and unlimited coinage of silver, and they were supported by seventeen of the forty-six Republicans, some of whom were not especially friendly to tariff legislation, and insisted upon concessions to silver as an equivalent for their support of any measure of the former class.

It is the belief of Mr. Kerr that the course of Senator Sherman in respect to the Silver Purchase act was, in "all the circumstances surrounding him and his colleagues on the Conference Committee, eminently wise. He knew that the purchase provision of the law must, in the very nature of things, be very brief in duration. The Treasury was already glutted with silver which the country would not receive into circulation. To add to this store by a purchase of bullion on a continually falling market and at a corresponding loss to the Government, would constantly arouse public sentiment to the folly of such a course and result in a speedy repeal of the law." It would have been better to leave these things unsaid, for by saying them Mr. Kerr makes it very clear that Senator Sherman assented to and helped pass a bill that he knew to be false in principle and dangerous. To say them, moreover, brings more clearly into view the flagitious bargain with the silver men. The Silver Purchase act was, so far as the sound-money Republicans of the Senate were concerned, merely a move in the tariff game. The protected interests insisted on higher duties, the McKinley act was to be the reply to their demand, and the Purchase act secured the support of the silver men. Three years later, in the throes of panic and financial disaster, to the bringing on of which the Sherman Silver act was the chief contributing cause, the repeal of the law was extorted from an unwilling Congress by the courage and determination of Grover Cleveland.

Whatever criticism may be passed upon Senator Sherman, or upon the measures for which he made himself responsible, he had at least this quality, that whether as Secretary of the Treasury engaged in the complex and difficult task of the refunding of the National debt, or as Senator preparing and debating important matters of legislation, he gave to the people the best that was in him. He was serious-minded, unsparingly industrious, and gave to the daily routine and detail of business in the Senate that faithful attention without which no statesman in Congress, however gifted, can expect to achieve distinction.

Mr. Kerr, in his reference to the death of Gen. Sherman, makes mention of a matter about which it is appropriate that something should be said here. It will be remembered that the day before Gen. Sherman's death, and while, as it was reported at the time, he was unconscious, extreme unction was administered to him according to the ritual of the Church to which his family belonged. Mr. Kerr takes occasion to censure an account of the matter published in THE TIMES as a violation of the rules of decency and good taste, and he makes certain other statements concerning the incident as to which it is sufficient to say that the writer of this review is able to pronounce them incorrect, and does so pronounce them upon the authority of statements made to him by Gen. Sherman himself in a conversation occurring not long before his death.

Senator Sherman, it will be remembered, was an aspirant for the Presidential nomination in 1880 and in 1884. In the convention of 1884, when Mr. Blaine was nominated, the Senator received on the first ballot thirty votes. In view of the fact that Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, a delegate to the convention from the State of New York, and opposed to the nomination of Mr. Blaine, was a supporter of Senator Edmunds, who received ninety-three votes in the convention, that he took part in the Edmunds conferences, that he was described at the time as "the most conspicuous, practical, and effective of all the Edmunds workers," and voted for Edmunds to the end, the following letter is not without interest:

422 Madison Ave., New York,
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Most truly yours,
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

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THERE is scarcely less difficulty in criticising poetry than in writing it. The poetry that is real makes itself felt to you in some strange, incommunicable way, fills you with a rapture you cannot explain, but which you feel intensely. You can only say, "Read this and it will perform for you the miracle—out of dead words a bright, immortal life will spring to flush your arteries with fervor, set your heart beating, and give your mind the exquisite sensation of complete satisfaction." But precisely how this result has been obtained, or why it is lacking, who shall definitely say?

An edition de luxe, limited to 250 copies, exclusively controlled by Small, Maynard & Co. of Boston, containing all the poetic work by Madison Cawein which that author cares to retain, has been issued.* The edition is in sets of five large octavo volumes, illustrated from paintings by Eric Page, well printed on excellent paper and bound in serviceable cloth. Such an edition of verse is, nowadays, a rare and praiseworthy event. One feels, indeed, a certain amazement at finding so much poetry under the name of a modern writer. That all of it would prove first rate could hardly be the case, but the mere fact of its bulk is not without interest and value.

The contents of these volumes are the work of a man who plainly loves his art, who has certainly devoted a large part of his life to it, and to whom poetry is a necessary and vital part of that life. Few enough now regard poetry in this light, or bring even so much to the service of the muse. Bring, moreover, as Mr. Cawein does, a love of beauty, of the out-of-doors, of legend and myth, of those wise old stories the hearts of men have told each other through the generations, seeking to translate the material world into spiritual meanings that should minister to the needs of the soul. These things Madison Cawein offers on the altar of his worship, and they are evident in his work. But the inevitable rapture—the words that flash upon the inward eye a picture that shall be unforgettable, that put into a line a whole vision of delight, that translate into terms the fugitive sensations and beautiful dreams aroused by Spring, by love or fancy, that syllable the blind beating of the heart into words of truth and power—this power, which is the power of the great poet, has not been given to the Kentuckian.

Mr. Cawein—and here he stands, doubtless with a noble company—lacks the power of self-criticism. He is too often satisfied with the nearly right in place of the just right. His metaphors frequently fail to convey the picture intended. He speaks, for instance, of hepaticas "tossed, sapphirelike, along the way." But this does not give us the flower; the description does not describe. Another poet, Bliss Carman, speaks of the same flowers, "in their sober Quaker hue." Instantly the gray-blue, soft-petaled flower blooms for you, as you have seen it amid its leaves on many a Spring day under the bare forest trees. This may seem a small matter, but it bespeaks a certain lack either of perception or of the power accurately to convey that perception, and is met with frequently in these pages. Too many of the nature lyrics are a catalogue of names, with nothing distinctive to give a raison d'être. Such are "The Woodpath" and "The Rock," and others. On the other hand, nothing could be more charming with fancy and felicitous phrase than "The Sound of the Lays"—the end of the fourth verse, for instance:

Where the earth was holy with lily and rose
And the myriad life of the grasses

contains much more than the mere retailing of lovely names. You get an impression, the record of an emotional mood induced by something acting on the poet's outer senses and conveyed to you in graceful and effective words, with the sense of music demanded by a lyric. So, too, with "The Message of the Lilies," portions of "Intimations of Beauty," "Mirabile Dictu," although the last verse in that poem falls below the level of the rest. At his best Mr. Cawein possesses a keen feeling for music and color, a sort of wistful undertone like the inner voice of a brook, and a wide knowledge of the aspects of nature. Unfortunately what seems like carelessness often spoils his verse, even a willful ugliness occasionally intrudes, like the line "Is rich with a perishless fire," so disagreeable with its sibilants and thin vowels. At times, too, a lack of purity of vision jars the reader, as in the line,

All hail to the balsam that dreams and drips,

with its mixed effect. One hesitates to use the term slipshod, but it is not unfair to some of the work in these volumes. Yet there is constantly discernible a sincerity of purpose, a gentle pleasure in turning all the loveliness that comes before him into verse that makes one dislike to carp at the ill success of some of the resulting lines. Such poems as "The Sign of the Skull" and "Dum Vivimus" give another view of Mr. Cawein's art, and are excellently done, with their effect of grim vivacity; as to any distinct philosophy of life, Mr. Cawein does not attempt to give it in these works; his message, if he can be said to have one, is rather negative and questioning than positive or confident. Perhaps he is most at home in retelling old myths, in ballads of ladies and knights errant, and very charming he is when so occupied. On the whole, though these books may not prove Mr. Cawein to be a great poet, they are yet worthy of a place on our shelves for the beauty of many of the songs and as a sweet and agreeable utterance in a silent day. H. H.

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"Socialists at Work."

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NEW VOLUME BY MR. ARTHUR UPSON

"The Tides of Spring," a Poetic Drama, Is Full of the Inspiration of Youth.

By JESSIE B. RITTENHOUSE.

THE poetry of Mr. Arthur Upson has made its way so quietly, so apart from the cheap exploitation which has characterized the introduction of certain recent poets, that those who are roused to interest only by a dramatic entry will hardly be familiar with Mr. Upson's restrained, artistic work. The fact, too, that Mr. Upson has been spending much of his time in the past few years abroad, and that most of his books have first been issued there, has delayed his wider acquaintance in this country. But from the publication of his "Octaves in an Oxford Garden" he has had a choice and steadily increasing circle, which has watched with keen interest the development of his art.

Mr. Upson is not a poet whose influences and obligations are easily traced. With a cultivation that presupposes an assimilation of the best in art, he owes no obvious debt. On the contrary, he has had from the outset a touch which made his note distinguishable among the multitudinous notes of modern poetry. To reduce this temperamental touch, however, to hard and fast lines of definition would be a difficult matter. Whitman's declaration, "I shall certainly elude you," is typical of any poetry into which the essence of personality has entered. But in Mr. Upson's work, while one is lured by an evasive charm and is primarily conscious of the mood rather than the technique, he finds the mood has been communicated by some subtle touch of phrase or form through which an entirely personal sense of beauty has been expressed.

Note, for illustration, in the first of his "Octaves," fixing the atmosphere of a September afternoon in old Wadham Garden, Oxford, how in one line he suggests the chastened mood in which the air seems tranced:

The day is like a Sabbath in a swoon.
Slow in September's blue go fair cloud-things
Poising aslant upon their charmed wings,
Arrested by some backward thought of June.
Softly I tread, and with repentant shoon,
Half fearfully in sweet imaginings,
Where broods, like courtyard of departed Kings,
The old Quadrangle paved with afternoon.

In his drama, "The City," issued first in Edinburgh four years ago, and the following year combined with the "Octaves" and published in America, a much more significant quality of thought was revealed, together with the gift of presenting a character in its entirety; not focusing so sharply upon one trait as throwing all into proper relation and perspective. The drama conveyed a sense of breadth, of power to see things whole. Its essential distinction lay in characterization. One missed, perhaps, a certain element of personality which he had been taught to expect by the "Octaves." The lines in their probity and simplicity now and again became severe. But through it all one felt the intelligence of conception, the artist conscience, eschewing specious effects.

Several admirable lyrics were scattered through the dialogue, such as this Greek song, infusing vitality and movement into a classic motif:

Aegina's foam is high and wild
Where Pan immortal sits enisled;
But thou and I with flying oar
Seek Psyttaleia's sacred shore.

The City of the Violet Crown
Well knows that rocky island's frown;
But thou and I together learned
What fires upon her altars burned.

Oh! many a sail goes gleaming there
Bound for some olive garden fair;
But thou and I made fast to her
And found her cypress loveller.

The shrines of Aphrodite lift
Their smoke in every village rift;
But thou and I, remote from man,
Propitiate the woodland Pan.

In his new volume, "The Tides of Spring,"* Mr. Upson has again turned to drama and in a brief one-act play tosses off a beaker to Youth which is at once a pledge and a challenge. For his theme he has gone to Scottish history, that almost unworked dramatic quarry, and about a picturesque incident in the early life of Malcolm Cananmor, one of the ancient Scottish Kings, has created an idyl of youth.

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At the opening of the drama, on a Spring morning following a night of storm, the King sees, from the parapet of his castle, a vessel beached at a distance along the Firth of Forth, and sends men to her aid. During their absence he confers with an aged counselor, director of two preceding reigns, and in the contrast between the cautious wisdom of experience and the daring intuition of youth lies the philosophical motive of the play.

In the fine passages between Malcolm and his adviser, Mr. Upson demonstrates that the impulse of youth is the race experience, the race wisdom, become an intuitive spiritual judgment, safer and wiser than the wisdom of age, which relies upon its own accretion of experience. What Santayana has termed "the soul's invincible surmise," the intuitive assurance of what is destined for it, which is the mystic might of youth, is in immemorial conflict with the mood of age, insulated by life from that immediate receptivity to spiritual forces, that faculty of lying open to one's genius, which Lowell declares, "makes the wise heart certain of its way."

Mr. Upson's lines are full of germinal thoughts, as "The wisdom of old age which no men use." What office, in the economy of forces, is reserved for the experience which old age has so painfully acquired? Youth will have none of it, is, indeed, by the necessity laid upon it to individualize its own being, restrained from vicarious acquisition of wisdom. Age cannot convert it into an available force, for life neither hesitates nor tarries for counsel, but follows upon the initiative of youth. Well might the ancient counselor, finding his cautious expediencies set at naught, exclaim:

My years are slipping down into a gulf!

The dialogue expresses this inspirational motive with fitness and beauty, and the plot unfolds in a manner that might seem a bit too idyllic were it not that its main incidents are quarried from the bedrock of Scottish history. The storm-blown vessel proves to be that bearing the Saxon Princess to a refuge in Norway from the arrogance of the Norman Conqueror. Thus the King, having followed the warrant of his own spirit, has his desire, and the Princess saves his kingdom by the restoration of the rood which she has treasured in ignorance of its significance.

Aside from "The Tides of Spring," the volume contains a sheaf of lyrics to the author's friends, hardly representative of Mr. Upson's non-dramatic work, save "The Ruin and the Rose," which is a Greek bit with a classic form and touch, and these octaves with their rich beauty and color, the first two of a group to Autumn, whose

* * * Topaz-golden hoards
Streaking the forest like old painted words
Fading along some saint's-page fair and wise,

Mr. Upson pictures with such Keatslike feeling and delicacy:

The flesh to fragrant whitening of the bough,
Full-flooding fields, and softening sod, doth yearn;
The spirit will to Autumn's wooing burn,
And to October is her tenderest vow:
October, Springtide of the soul! What now
May I compare to raptures that return
When round thine auburn hair these eyes discern
First the wild purple berries kiss thy brow?
My soul bends to thee, as a waiting bride,
Long from her maiden chamber searching far,
Doth see, at last, beneath the vesper star,
Her sunset lover toward her castle ride:
She flings her evening casement open wide,
And leans out through the trembling lattice bar,
Then, turning, sets her chamber door ajar,
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"THE TRAGIC MUSE" IN NEW EDITION

Mr. James Has Difficulty in Recalling the Precise Moment of the Book's Conception —A Rich Preface.

By EDWARD A. DITHMAR.

SEARCHING in the recesses of his mind, Mr. Henry James finds "the productive germ" of "The Tragic Muse," which now appears in two comely volumes of the New York edition, a somewhat elusive memory. He fails, in short, precisely to recover his "first precious moment of consciousness of the idea to which it was to give form." He permits himself to fancy that he always had "the happy thought of some dramatic picture of the 'artist life,' and of the difficult terms on which it is at the best secured and enjoyed." The origin of the book does not signify as much, to be sure, as its welcome reappearance in new dress. A mere glance over the pages serves to recall many agreeable memories and cordially to invite a rereading. This is worth while with "The Tragic Muse," for it ages well. It is a nineteenth century novel, still fresh, charming, vital, in the twentieth. It treats of one phase of "the artistic life"—the theatrical—which has of late been persistently treated of in printed books of all qualities as it had not yet been in the days of this novel's beginning, about 1889. The habitual reader who does not very carefully choose his books is surfeited these days with discussion of the playhouse, gossip, theorizing, moralizing, prophesying, till he grows to dislike the name of it. But even in that earlier age Mr. James tells us that he found an "unappeasable curiosity for the things of the theatre—except the drama itself"—and "for the personality of the performer (almost any performer quite sufficiently serving)" in particular—a veritable "social passion" in London. It is a "social passion" on this side of the Atlantic now. But a sensitive reader, if "The Tragic Muse" is still a new book to him, need not dread its exposition of theatricals. He will find that here as elsewhere Mr. James's fine artistic reticence is a saving grace.

The conflict between art and "the world" Mr. James used to consider "one of the half-dozen great primary motives." He still is in doubt as to why the world should so consistently oppose the development of the artistic spirit. That seems an easy question to decide until you try deliberately to decide it in terms. Then you find yourself piling up words which may bury the point at issue, and will certainly confuse it. Perhaps it is another "self-evident proposition" the sanest explanation of which would be "because it does."

The result of Mr. James's mental researches is that the immediate origin of "The Tragic Muse" was quite commonplace. Mr. Thomas Bailey Aldrich, as editor of The Atlantic Monthly, asked him for a serial that should run through the year. It was the last long serial he wrote for many years—until "The Ambassadors," if our memory serves. Reading over the novel now, the author fancies the circumstances "make" for "a special tenderness of charity"—yet few of his readers, who are readers of his own special quality, will admit that allowances need be made for "The Tragic Muse" nineteen years afterward. Says Mr. James:

> The consistent, the sustained, preserved tone of "The Tragic Muse," its constant and doubtless rather fine-drawn truth to its particular sought pitch and accent are, critically speaking, its principal merit—the inner harmony that I, perhaps presumptuously, permit myself to compare to an unevaporated scent.

Another than Henry James would not state the case in exactly those terms, but the case, it seems, after a thoughtful examination of the words, stands just that way. The tone is consistent and sustained, even though the truth is rather "fine-drawn." The book still lives, its spirit has not evaporated. As one meets again in its pages the old characters he recalls them slowly as dimly remembered friends of former years. Their names (except Mildred's) may have escaped the memory, but their salient traits are remembered.

The author's new preface, autobiographical and historical, is rich in thoughts about art—art, for instance, as "a thoroughly inward and naturally embarrassed matter" to parade the preference for which abroad, attended with the honors of publicity, is to place it nowhere. Our partial translation of Mr. James here is probably correct except in mere details. It is clear that Mr. James's latest conviction is that the only true honors of real art are "those of contraction, concentration, and a seemingly deplorable indifference to everything but itself." Incidentally, we learn that "pictures without composition" may have life, if not art, and we are led to infer that "The Newcomes," "Les Trois Mousquetaires," and "Peace and War" are pictures without composition, and also, "large, loose, baggy monsters."

He wrote "The Tragic Muse" on many "good, fog-filtered mornings", near a wide, west window that looked over "a half-gray, half-flushed expanse of London life." This and many other "intimate truths" the preface reveals, and it is pleasant to know that as he reads over the French chapters, the delightful aroma of Paris, that comes up through the Rue de la Paix, charms his senses again. Nevertheless the reader must ultimately find that he must get at the spirit of the book, and its meaning, in the book itself rather than in the preface. Mr. James has much that is interesting to say, of course, about Mildred and Nick, Peter Sherrington and Julia Dallow, but it turns out to be unessential. One is glad to have the preface with the new edition, and to any reader who does not yet know Mr. James's works thoroughly we heartily commend both. "The Tragic Muse" is one of the most absorbing and exhilarating of the modern novels not in the class with those "large, loose, baggy monsters" full of life's humor and pathos, which need no key, while the preface certainly uplifts the mind, takes one into a rarified atmosphere of fine thinking, and is so distinguished that one, having studiously read it, feels that he is, indeed, fit for the best of company and quite above the common level.

E. A. D.

*"THE NOVELS AND TALES OF HENRY JAMES." New York edition. Volumes VII. and VIII. "The Tragic Muse." New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.

A RUSTIC STORY.

Once in a while it is refreshing to meet with a book in which the interest makes no effort to hasten, but meanders peacefully along, with abundant stops by the wayside for humor and whimsical characterization. Such a book is "Mothers in Israel," by J. S. Fletcher, (Moffat, Yard & Co.) It is the tale of a Yorkshire village, which is swayed, socially and religiously, by the wives of two rich farmers. Between these two ladies, both extremely virtuous and passionately addicted to the gentle art of backbiting, there exists an undying rivalry and a superb mutual politeness, which marks their detestation. The young clergyman, the pretty school teacher, the veterinary surgeon, are all figures in a very pleasing and leisurely drama, which is built up to a scene surprising in its very real interest and feeling—a scene which marks the overthrow of the two mothers in Israel. The book is redolent of fresh Yorkshire butter, sun-baked fields, and blooming chestnuts, and it makes amusing and restful reading.

AWFUL TRAGEDY.

If any one, after reading the amazing preface with which Mr. James Smith Rollow meets the reader on the threshold of his "modern drama," "The Trend," (printed by The Guide Company of New York,) still, unshaken and determined, continues to turn the pages, he will get a good deal of excitement out of the difficulties of disentangling the author's English, and some amusement from the conversational flights of the numerous characters and their still more delightful bursts of song. That there is a touch of tragedy connected with this drama may be inferred from the closing words, cried by Mr. Janeway:

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"The Servant in the House."

It is not often that an acting play not only wins a success for itself on the stage but also makes sufficient of an appeal to the literary taste of the critics to warrant its appearing between the mute, sober covers of a book. The unexpected, however, is about to happen in the case of one of the stage favorites of the present season, Mr. Kennedy's "The Servant in the House." Next week Harper & Brothers will issue this play in book form. The volume is to be illustrated from art photographs by Miss Alice Boughton, and the text is to be given with all the author's stage directions, being a complete acting version, in fact, somewhat after the fashion of the published dramas of Bernard Shaw.

"The Romance of the Reaper."

In a book which is to be published this month by Doubleday, Page & Co., "The Romance of the Reaper," the author, Herbert N. Casson, makes the following rather interesting estimate: "A man with a hand sickle can cut thirty times his own weight in wheat in one harvest, but a self-binder, which is eleven times heavier than a man, can cut a hundred times its own weight." The book in describing the American monopoly of the world's harvester business is an answer to Bismarck's query when he first saw an American self-binder: "Why don't we make these machines in Germany?"

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Pasquale Villari Revives Question, Is History a Science?—Conclusion Less Valuable than His Discussion.

By PROF. CHRISTIAN GAUSS.

IT is a significant fact that in a work written some twenty-five years ago, "The Main Currents in Nineteenth Century Literature," that distinguished critic Georg Brandes could entirely ignore Italy and the Italians. Like the Spaniards, they were considered as a people apart, a people with only a past. There was at that time a certain justification for this omission; for the Italians had, since the French Revolution, been busied with a peculiarly national problem, and the best blood of Italy had been drawn into the struggle for national independence. That restless spirit, Mazzini, is a fair type of the intellectual life of his people in the first sixty years of the century. With the establishment of the Italian kingdom his struggle came to an end; and in the brief interval which has since elapsed there are to be discerned in the peninsula the unmistakable signs of a revival of interest in learning. She is once again demanding recognition in the world of European culture; and with a line of scholars like De Sanctis, Rajna, Graff, Carducci, De Gubernatis, Comparetti, Lanciani, Lombroso, and Ferrero to support her claims, it would be sheer intellectual snobbery longer to deny her a place with England and France and Germany.

Though Lanciani's work in archaeology and Ferrero's in history have recently been translated, the majority of her scholars are, to the English-speaking public, comparatively unknown. It is a pleasure, therefore, to find that Pasquale Villari, the learned biographer of Savonarola, now once more appears before this larger audience.* It is unfortunate, however, that he should have chosen to present himself with a volume of essays in which by far the longest and most pretentious is a discussion of the old, old question, Is history a science? There has been ever since the advent of Darwin a feverish anxiety on the part of intellectual workers to be considered scientific. Science has become a shibboleth, a St. Peter with the keys to lock or unlock reputations. It is an interesting and a suggestive fact that in proportion as the academician has further and further increased his pretensions in this direction, the layman has attached more and more opprobrium to the term academic. There is a law of compensations. There is a certain school of historians which has a horror of being dubbed artistic, and so long as Freeman is their god they may rest in peace. No one in his right mind would call Freeman an artist. A prominent American historian has said that the whole progress of civilization has been an attempt to free humanity from the bondage of the imagination; he might have added that the tendency of much of the later nineteenth century thought has been to enslave it to the fact, and it has been wisely remarked by Mr. Chesterton that the facts often misrepresent. The fact that Poland was dismembered does not prove Poland was not a nation. The fact that the army of Grant defeated the army of Lee does not prove that the North was right and that the South was wrong. This remains an entirely independent question. Yet any intelligent account of a process, of the overthrow of the doctrine of State rights, for instance, involves an idea of the beginning and the end. The historian must select his facts, and they will seem significant or negligible to him according as he looks upon the process from one point of view or another. He cannot paint in vacuo, and it will be his own idea of the process which will provide his background.

In this important work of selection he is governed by his philosophy and his imagination. It is only when he attempts to ascertain the truth or falsity of a particular bit of evidence that he becomes scientific. That this is a most useful and necessary portion of the historian's work is, of course, self-evident. Yet it is absurd to claim with Villari that because in certain of its processes it is scientific, history is therefore a science. It is no more a science than it is an art. It is both.

Villari's essay is therefore somewhat disappointing. He does not define science and he does not define history. He gives us simply an account of what history was in antiquity, in the Renaissance, in the eighteenth century, and what it is doing at present. There are abundant citations from previous historians and from all the earlier students who have discussed this question. In fact, the author swirls about in an eddy of other men's opinions, and it might be said of his method, as of an earlier school of criticism, that it does not conclude. He does give us incidentally, however, numerous interesting suggestions, as, for instance, his account of the rise of the historical novel of Scott and Manzoni. The appearance of this new art form he attributes to the fact that eighteenth century history treated all peoples and times as one. It reckoned only with what was everywhere the same, and was therefore dull, abstract, and prosaic. The historical novelist, on the contrary, accentuated the differences in times and nations, brought out what was particular and distinctive, and thus made the past romantic and picturesque. The historical novel was in a sense a protest against the dryness of the eighteenth century historians. It is in such incidental remarks that Villari best shows his acumen. Fortunately in his own practice he occasionally belies his theory, and certain of the articles here included, notably those on Savonarola and Donatello, as well as his careful criticism of De Sanctis, will help to show why he has been regarded as one of Italy's foremost students. C. G.

*STUDIES, HISTORICAL AND CRITICAL. By Pasquale Villari. Translated by Linda Villari. With seven illustrations in photogravure. Pp. viii.-319. Large 8vo. Cloth. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. 1907.

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PEOPLE who, knowing more or less vaguely that Jean-Jacques Rousseau exerted an enormous influence over the France of his day, and for not a few days or years thereafter, yet lack the almost desperate energy and persistence now required for gaining from the man's books even a hint as to how or why he did it, can profitably read the collected lectures of Jules Lemaitre on the great sentimentalist, translated by Mme. Charles Bigot and published by The McClure Company.*

Of course the mystery of Rousseau's power and efficiency is not entirely cleared up, even by an analyst and critic as erudite and able as M. Lemaitre; that was not to be expected, hardly to be hoped; but this almost strangest figure in literary, political, and social history is at least presented with sympathy and appreciation, his personal story is told as it was, not as myth and tradition have made it, and the substance of his books—so far as they can be said to have substance—has been extracted from the appalling wilderness of words in which it was so clearly revealed to pre-revolutionary France, and in which it was so carefully concealed from modern readers.

M. Lemaitre says that he has read everything Rousseau wrote, and almost all that others have written about him. It may be so; at any rate he has probably read more than anybody else, and he now gives to a world that should be grateful good excuse for never again undertaking the dreadful task. He claims, and apparently with truth, to have freed himself, during the performance of that task, of the prejudices and animosities with which he began it. He did not attain to admiration for Rousseau, either as a man or a philosopher, but he did come to a sort of understanding of him and to a great pity for his misfortunes and his sufferings.

The biography and the criticism move along together. Never, probably, were preaching and practice further apart than they were in Jean-Jacques, and yet the man was not exactly insincere nor exactly a hypocrite. His philosophy, though not originally founded on anything more admirable than a determination to take, in answering a question propounded by a provincial academy as to the effect on morals of the development of the arts and sciences, the side which other people would not be likely to take, seemed true to him as soon as his thesis won the prize and its paradoxes attracted attention.

He could believe anything he wanted to believe; the identity of virtue and wisdom with his own aspirations and arguments appeared to him self-evident; his own wild imaginings as to a "state of nature" he accepted as demonstrated scientific facts. It disturbed his mental equanimity not at all that he, almost all his life a slave and parasite of the rich and titled, should vehemently proclaim the joys of independence and savagely denounce any recognition of inequality among human beings. A worshipper of intelligence, his chosen and almost lifelong companion was a woman who had no trace of it; exhorting others to devote their best years to the education—and such an education!—of their children, he sent his own to the foundling asylum as fast as they were born; and, the passionate advocate of liberty, he yet dreamed out a system of government which, had it not been impossible, would have turned almost immediately into the bloodiest of despotisms, precisely as an approximation to it did during the Terror.

This was the man whom aristocratic, no less than bourgeois and proletarian, France read avidly and seriously, and hailed as a savior and prophet! Why? M. Lemaitre's explanation amounts to little more than that he was a genius, a great writer—that he had a "style" and an "accent." In other words, M. Lemaitre doesn't know why; he only feels that there was a reason and that it must have been adequate. Not one of Rousseau's premises or conclusions does he accept—no sane person can—and yet the madman had an underlying and effectual element of rightness. At least his wrongness was the exact opposite and antithesis of the general wrongness of his time, and in a world where everybody was a victim of privilege—privilege possessed or privilege lacked—the man who proposed the greatest changes in the structure and theory of life was the most acceptable leader.

Here in America we saw "Uncle Tom's Cabin," a book with not a few of the characteristics of Rousseau's work, show a similar power as well as, and in despite of, a somewhat similar inaccuracy and illogic. Imagine, though, the reception a philosopher would receive to-day who could argue, as Jean-Jacques did, that the invention of axes led to the physical deterioration of humanity, since after it men no longer had to break off branches by exerting the muscles of their arms! He could not see, and none of his contemporaries saw, apparently, that the man with the axe uses his muscles just as much as the man without it, since he breaks off bigger branches. We, however, talk every day about "labor-saving machinery," which is just as absurd.

F. C. M.

*JEAN-JACQUES ROUSSEAU. By Jules Lemaitre. Translated by Jeanne Mairet, (Mme. Charles Bigot.) New York: The McClure Company. $2.50 net.

Gossip About Various Authors.

William D. Howells has left his temporary home in Rome for Genoa. From that city he will go to Gibraltar and Algeciras. His last visit to Rome was made forty-four years ago. It is reported that one result of his present visit will be a novel, which will take modern Rome for its setting.

Rampart City is identified as the place in Alaska where Rex Beach laid the scene of "The Barrier." It was the first camp that Mr. Beach struck in Alaska, and the author himself helped to build it, which, he says, in that country means felling the trees and proceeding "from the ground up."

Dr. F. J. Furnivall is now engaged in editing Duffield's "Old Spelling" edition of Shakespeare. Although this famous Shakespearean scholar is now in his eighty-third year, so great is his energy that it is only lately he has been persuaded to accept the assistance of a sub-editor.

George Dyre Eldredge, author of "In the Potter's House," gives his personal attitude toward well-known works of fiction as follows: "I find especial pleasure in Hardy, Meredith, Balzac, a few works of Thackeray, Dickens, and Stevenson, and Eliot's 'Silas Marner.' Scott has ceased to attract me as he once did. 'Tom Jones' is a store of wealth in its way, but 'Jonathan Wild' is to me a standing marvel, and the best book of its kind I know of. When I want something stirring I reread the "Three Musketeers," but I never find my desire so strong as to carry me into the succeeding volumes. Kipling grips me hard."

Miss Ellen Glasgow is said to be particularly proud of her Scottish-Irish family connections. Her favorite studies are of a scientific nature. The modern epoch-making works on evolution have attracted her especial attention. Her first literary performance was "The Descendant," which appeared anonymously in 1897.

Mrs. Jean Stratton Porter, author of "Freckles," the nature romance, was recently in receipt of a very much dilapidated copy of her book sent by a librarian, with the following inscription: "The most popular book in the library—used one year."

Holman Day, author of "King Spruce," a novel of the Maine woods, which has just been published by Harper & Brothers, is a native of the State which he describes. In The Lewiston Journal he has published a number of short stories. One of these, "Squire Bill," was recently converted into a one-act sketch for the stage. He has also achieved a name among his native woodsmen as a writer of songs and ballads.

Before Mr. George S. Wasson turned story writer and sailor he was a painter. In his new book, "Home from Sea," which is published this week by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., he turns his first accomplishment to account by furnishing sketches from his own brush to serve as illustrations. He lives at Kittery Point, Me., where during the Summer he has Mr. W. D. Howells for one of his nearest neighbors.

Two authors commence two series of lectures this month at Cooper Union. The first to start was Prof. Edward Howard Griggs, who opened a course of five lectures on "Moral Leaders" there last week. Prof. Griggs is followed this week by Prof. Charles Zueblin, at the head of the Department of Sociology of the University of Chicago. His new book, "The Religion of a Democrat," is published this month.

ONE OF THE EMPIRE BUILDERS.

The building of the British Empire has brought out some of the most interesting chapters in human character in the world's history. The men of force and spirit and brawn and brain who have made Edward's empire what it is are worth reading about, just for the sake of their own characters, aside from their work in the world's history. In matter of temperament and character not one of all these strenuous men is more interesting than is he whose life George C. Henderson, Professor of History in Adelaide University, has written under the title, "Sir George Grey, Pioneer of Empire in Southern Lands." (Imported by E. P. Dutton & Co., $4.) Sir George Grey's public career lay mainly in the two middle quarters of the last century, in South Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. In New Zealand he was twice Governor and once Premier, and in Australasia his memory is still revered and his name and influence are still powerful. He laid the foundation of much of that social progress which has won for New Zealand the title of "The Social Experiment Station of the World," and in both that colony and South Australia it is the policies that he fought for that have since been inaugurated. In South Africa he was dismissed from office because he championed so warmly the principle of federation. The years of his public career were mostly stormy and strenuous, partly because he was so far in advance of the social and political thought of his time. Prof. Henderson has written the story of his interesting life with justice and with impartial judgment.

ENTERTAINING AN AUDIENCE.

A useful handbook for those who have ever to entertain an audience, whether as a professional or amateur elocutionist, or as an after-dinner speaker, will be found in Grenville Kleiser's "Humorous Hits and How to Hold an Audience" (Funk & Wagnalls Company, $1.) The first section of the book contains brief and sensible advice to the would-be public talker about how to use the voice and the breath to the best advantage, about modulation, gesture and action, the easiest method of memorizing a selection, how to conduct himself before an audience, and other matters. The second section, which fills the greater part of the book, contains a great number of selections—sketches, stories, poems, monologues, humorous and serious, many of which are new, while several were written especially for this work.

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INTEREST IN WORK OF A. MARSHALL

Author of "Exton Manor" Pleases England with New Novel Full of Good Character Drawing.

By LEWIS MELVILLE.

IT is not long since in THE NEW YORK TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS Mr. Archibald Marshall was hailed as a coming English novelist, and this belief was based upon the steadily increasing value and interest of his books. His career as a writer of fiction dates back only eight years, to the appearance of that amusing absurdity, "Peter Binney, Undergraduate." Six years passed after this before Mr. Marshall brought out his next book, "The House of Merrilees," close upon the heels of which came "Richard Baldock"; and critical readers of these books discovered in them considerable merit, and thought that what faults they had were more than balanced by the excellence of the character-drawing. Then, last year, came "Exton Manor," which put the author's earlier work in the shade.

There will then surely be a demand for Mr. Marshall's new novel, "Many Junes." It is not better than "Exton Manor," and, indeed, authorship is not mechanical work that improves automatically. "Lovel the Widower" came between "Esmond" and "Denis Duval." But if it is not better, there are few who will think it worse. It has less atmosphere, certainly; but, on the other hand, there is more action; and, of course, as is always the case with this author's work, the character-sketches are lifelike. Those who take up "Many Junes" will finish it at a sitting.

The story is simple. A rich old Admiral loses his money and his son is thrown upon the world to earn his living, but in the end succeeds to his uncle's estates. That is the bald outline, and it is a plot as conventional as may be; yet in the hands of Mr. Marshall it is rarely that the reader remembers this. The weakest part of the book—and it is well to mention the fault and be done with it—is that portion which treats of the hero as a clerk in the City of London. There is not enough detail of the young man's life at this time. So conscientious a worker is Mr. Marshall that no one will accuse him of haste, and the defect seems to have arisen from a desire of the author not to be tedious; so, unfortunately, we are left to conjure up for ourselves the young man's doings in the city, the men he meets every day, his hopes, his fears, his disappointments, and the qualities that slowly but surely raise him above his fellow-workers in the office and land him in a post of some importance. None the less, Mr. Marshall shows himself throughout in sympathy with his hero in those uncongenial surroundings, and he presents a thoughtful description of the army of workers on the way to their daily toil:

> At Blackfriars the crowd became more concentrated. Hugh was one of the thousands whom the streets and buildings engulfed daily, each atom coming from far or near, where there was space and individuality, to swell the organized and collected power which would move forward one day the great engine of commerce. The stream flowed more quickly here, between the high stone walls. Those few upon whom it rested to invent and control seemed to be putting away from them the influence of their private lives, and to be wrapping themselves in the atmosphere of contest. Their faces were thoughtful, their steps quickened. It was these who set the pace and carried with them the many who had nothing to do with guiding the engine, whose labor expressed itself in hours, who must be diligent and careful, but need not be anxious, who could carry their home thoughts as far as their office stools and could take them up again when the appointed hours of their labor were done, without one look backward or forward at the end to which their day's work tended.

The great merit of "Many Junes," as it has already been said, is in the character-drawing, and in the first few pages are introduced many personages who will not easily be forgotten. The old Admiral Lelacheur is a masterpiece, a rough, despotic old sea-dog, so unforgiving in character that he will not overlook an unintentional discourtesy in his brother's house, and so foolish that he endeavors to convert an ample fortune into great wealth in order to throw that brother into comparative insignificance; so simple that he falls a victim to the promoters of wild-cat schemes, by which he loses all his money, and so bitter to the end, too, that on his deathbed he is selfish enough to extract from his son a promise to accept no aid from his family. There is nothing sympathetic in these qualities, yet, by brilliant, almost undiscernible, touches here and there Mr. Marshall contrives to secure for the old man respect and pity. Not less brilliantly conceived is Mr. Williams, Hugh Lelacheur's tutor, whose claim to be regarded as a gentleman is not borne out by his nature or his manners; and the Admiral's old sailor-servant, Dunster, who, by a thorough understanding of the nature with which he has to deal, leads his master in most matters by the nose.

The Churtons, mère et fille, are lifelike. Snobs, both of them, the only difference being that the younger woman is clever enough to hide her weakness and to secure from Hugh a reluctant proposal of marriage, which she immediately accepts, since, she explains to her mother, at twenty-six one must take what offers. At home the daughter is preferable to the mother, for her artificiality is more subtle, but when they move in a more natural society—and this is one of the best touches in the book—it is shown—and we realize at once the truth of the picture—how the old woman has the kindlier, more sympathetic heart. Mother and daughter go to a working girls' club. The latter was obviously very ill at ease, for there was no simplicity in her nature, but "Mrs. Churton was a different woman immediately she entered the close, brightly lit clubroom. The girls thronged around her. She spoke to them authoritatively, but kindly. The tricks of speech which she kept for her more well-to-do friends had disappeared. She was straightforward and sympathetic. She had a dozen girls around her for one who sought the ear of her daughter."

Anne Lelacheur, the daughter of the Admiral, is one of the daintiest figures in contemporary fiction — beautiful, merry, witty, and considerate. Wholehearted in her love for her brother, Hugh; whole-hearted in her love for her first and only lover, the Australian, George Blomfield, who captures her heart at their first meeting and loses his own at the same time, and wholehearted in her love for her little girl, also named Anne! Pathetic is the story of the death of the child from typhoid fever at the same time when Hugh is suffering from the same complaint, and very beautifully is it told—with that same reticence that in "Vanity Fair" made the death of George Osborne at Waterloo the saddest in English literature:

> Struggling back feebly to health and reason after long, dark days, Hugh became aware of the constant presence of his sister. Hovering on the borderland between the unrealities projected by a mind striving to regain its balance and the soothing influence of convalescence, he had constantly mistaken her for the little child, her namesake. She was so quiet, so unlike the Anne of old days, and when at last he regained full consciousness, and saw her thin, pale face, with the dark eyes full of pain and trouble, a sense of agonizing loss pierced him, even through the apathy of his weakness. She kissed him gently, and hid her face. "Little Anne," he whispered, surprised to find himself so weak that he could hardly articulate. Then she turned away from him and went out of the room.
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> They could not keep the news from him for long. The grass was already growing over the grave of little Anne, his friend, in the green churchyard of Foyle.

It is not necessary here to make allusion to Hugh's sad love affair, and his still sadder marriage, for enough has been said to show that in "Many Junes" Mr. Marshall maintains the high reputation gained by "Exton Manor." Mr. Marshall has that gift of portraiture, that command of comedy and pathos, and that power of creating atmosphere which raises him head and shoulders above so many contemporary writers of fiction and places his work on that level which attracts the interest of readers and the attention of students of contemporary literature.

L. M.

General Grant's Last Days.

In The Century for next month a long-delayed contribution to the literature of reminiscence will appear under the title "Memories of General Grant's Last Days," by George F. Brady, who, at the time this series of forthcoming articles was written, was the last survivor of Gen. Grant's surgeons. The author's recent death particularly adds to the interest of these reminiscences, which give an exceedingly intimate and in many ways [illegible] of the man about whom they are written.

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New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

WHILE I have always believed that the general public does not read book reviews, my belief was recently shattered when an acquaintance called my attention to a review of my novel, "The Barrier," in your issue of April 4. Upon perusing the article in question it occurs to me that this gentleman may not be alone, and that another subscriber to THE TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW may have read the review. Hence, for the benefit of both of them, I feel in duty bound to correct a few statements which your reviewer, in the wealth of her general knowledge, has voiced. I say "her" advisedly in referring to your critic after reading the review. If I wrong some masculine member of your staff, it is entirely due to the review itself, without intention on my part, and I beg his pardon.

Your reviewer states that readers of my previous novel, "The Spoilers," realized that I based my imaginings upon personal experience and frontier history, and predicts that readers of "The Barrier" will be disappointed if they cherish a similar expectation.

As a matter of fact, "The Barrier" is as historically correct as "The Spoilers," and is based entirely upon personal experience and observation. The main characters in the story are drawn from life, and are as easily recognizable as the characters in the latter tale. I have the names and addresses of most of them. In time, the story is pitched two years prior to that of "The Spoilers," is located in a totally different atmosphere, and with a different and distinctive epoch in the growth of Alaska.

When your reviewer in commenting on "The Barrier" goes on to state that this is not Alaska and these are not Alaskans, I simply sit down in the middle of the road and ask her how she knows. Has she ever been north of Harlem or west of Orange? Has she ever seen a live Alaskan or a photograph of any part of the country? Has she ever been in any mining camp or any frontier town? I say it is Alaska and these are Alaskans.

She writes: "It might be almost any wild country with a rigorous climate, and the inhabitants would be as much at home in any other mining town as in Flambeau." Sad but true! Notwithstanding the fact that the scenic setting of "The Barrier" is absolutely faithful to detail and its characters taken from life, I agree with her. Alaska is too young to have a native white population, and its inhabitants are drawn from every quarter of this and other countries. From my limited observation, most wild countries and most rigorous climates are similar, and I state unhesitatingly that the American man is the same in Alaska as in Nevada or in South Dakota. Why shouldn't he be? I have never yet seen human nature visibly affected by latitude and longitude. If I have depicted characters which one meets in other mining towns and other wild countries, I have succeeded in doing exactly what I set out to do.

When your critic states that he—I beg pardon, she—especially "recoils from the author's fundamental assumption that the ravishingly beautiful heroine could for years be mistaken for a Siwash half-breed," and will continue to so recoil "no matter how many newspaper clippings and affidavits Mr. Beach may have collected for the overwhelming of skeptics," I feel that there isn't much for me to say. Such absolute knowledge and positiveness is on a par with that of the farmer who, after carefully scrutinizing a camel in a menagerie, finally walked away and said: "Oh, hell! there ain't no such animal." However, I will lay a little 10 to 3 that your critic never saw a half-breed or full-blooded Siwash or Pah-ute, and is therefore not qualified to judge. Nevertheless, I am more easily overwhelmed than she, (or he,) and one affidavit, or one newspaper clipping, or one mere assertion from any reputable source that your critic has seen an Indian of any description will convince me that I am wrong, and that he (or she) knows whereof he speaks.

Reference is also made to the "excellence of the fights and murders with which the book abounds." Being merely the author, and not nearly so familiar with the book as your critic, I can't recall any murders at all in the story.

It would be easy to overlook the above discrepancies, for, after all, newspaper copy is measured and paid for by the inch, and book reviews are productive of greater returns to the writer thereof than to the author of the books. But I can't stand for the final paragraph in your review, where you say that I know the coast country or "litoral" of Alaska, but have only "read up" on the interior, as shown by a technical placer mining expression which I use, to wit, that, after thoroughly prospecting a creek, the miners did not find "a color that would ring in the pan."

Now, while your reviewer may know more about the geography of Alaska and the characteristics of Alaskans than I do; while he may know so much about Indian girls that no number of affidavits and newspaper clippings would add to his knowledge; while he may have discovered murders in my book which I never put there, and while he may be an awfully good little book reviewer and a very valuable and well-posted citizen generally, I wish to state that I lived and mined in Alaska for six years, and "colors" of gold do "ring in the pan," if they happen to be large enough, and, furthermore, that the expression is perfectly valid and common, in spite of the fact that no one ever took the trouble to tell him so.

If I thought the knowledge would be of any practical value to your critic I would gladly explain fully the meaning of the expression, but why burden the mind of a book reviewer with practical knowledge?

Book reviews are undoubtedly fine things; they teach so much, and undoubtedly the readers of THE NEW YORK TIMES who intend to buy or have bought my book are greatly interested to know positively whether a color of gold might or might not ring when dropped into a gold pan. It is well to have a matter of such general import settled once for all, even at the cost of several hundred words. If your critic is as skeptical on this as on other points of my book, I will gaidly furnish him or her with "many newspaper clippings and affidavits," and, furthermore, convince him that I have written of a country which I know as intimately as he knows Newspaper Row.

Mining, book reviewing, and shoemaking are all good trades, but dissimilar. Undoubtedly your book reviewer is a good critic, else he would not so diligently search through some 90,000 words for a mining phrase to criticise, but it is a far cry from the pencil and scissors to the shovel and sluice box. After all, the shoemaker is on to his job—he sticks to his last.

I am forced to remind your reviewer that, no matter how funny an author may sometimes appear to the critic, the critic frequently hands the author a hearty laugh.

REX BEACH.

SECOND VOLUME OF THE NEW TENNYSON.

In the Eversley edition of the works of Lord Tennyson, which is to fill six volumes, the Macmillan Company issued the second volume, ($1.50 per volume.) It contains "The Princess," "Maud," "Enoch Arden," and "In Memoriam." The appendix, which fills over 100 pages, contains Lord Tennyson's own notes upon the poems and many annotations by Hallam Lord Tennyson, who edits the edition. All lovers of Tennyson will find this appendix full of the richest interest. Not only do the notes throw a fully revealing light upon obscure passages, but they show in a most interesting way the wonderfully wide and close observation of nature out of which grew all of Tennyson's references to the thing of earth and air and sky. The numerous notes in which Lord Tennyson, after describing the suggestion from which sprang some verse or poem, line or scene, and then pays his respects to those critics who had found it or some other passage rooted in the lines of some other poet, ought to be fruitful reading for those critical gentry who are always on the lookout for signs of plagiarism.

The McClure Company Change.

A rumor which obtained some circulation during the past week and which represented that there had sprung up a disagreement between Mr. S. S. McClure and Mr. Harold Roberts, Secretary and Treasurer of the McClure Company, appears to be entirely without foundation.

A year ago Mr. Roberts purchased from Mr. McClure stock in the two companies which bear the latter's name. This week Mr. Roberts's holdings were bought back by Mr. McClure. The change thus effected, although increasing the amount of Mr. McClure's stock in his two companies, is not indicative of any disagreement or of the inauguration of any new policy in the conduct of the business of this publishing house, since it leaves Mr. McClure, as he has always been, the controlling head of its affairs. Mr. Cameron MacKenzie, Mr. McClure's son-in-law, becomes Secretary and Treasurer.

A New Book by John Burroughs.

"Leaf and Tendril" is the title of a new book of essays by John Burroughs, which is published this week by Houghton, Mifflin & Co. The author is said to have selected the title for this collection as a reminder of the place in which most of the essays were written—his little bark-covered study surrounded on all sides by his vineyards. The volume has for its frontispiece a new portrait of the author. The book appears in a regular trade edition and also in an edition uniform with the "Riverside" set of Mr. Burroughs's works.

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THE "Life and Letters of George Bancroft," by M. A. De Wolfe Howe, is published this week by Charles Scribner's Sons. This work, which is one of the most important recent contributions to historical and biographical literature, is issued in two volumes, illustrated by a number of portraits. It has been prepared from original documents and hitherto unpublished letters, and is altogether an authoritative and complete record of Bancroft's career, filled as it was with notable friendships and important official achievements extending through almost the entire nineteenth century. "Mind in the Making: A Study in Mental Development," by Edgar J. Swift, Professor of Pedagogy in Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., a record of the various physical and mental phases of a child's growth, is also published this week.

Another important biography appearing this week is Frank Hird's "Victoria: The Woman." Most lives of Queen Victoria deal largely, if not wholly, with her career as the monarch of Great Britain. The present biography, however, devotes itself particularly to her private life, giving a number of intimate pictures of the latter by one who was in a position to speak authoritatively on the subject. "The Clutch of Circumstances," a novel by James Barnes, author of "Outside the Law," &c., is another book appearing this week. The story has for its setting a town in the northern part of New York.

Next Wednesday is the date fixed for the publication by the McClure Company of the three following April books: "The Under Groove," by Arthur Stringer, author of "The Wire-Tappers," &c., "On the Witness Stand," a series of eight essays by Prof. Hugo Munsterberg, and "Yolanda of Cyprus," a poetic drama by Cale Young Rice.

This week the Neale Publishing Company issues the following: "The Beckoning Heights," a Virginia romance by Phoebe Fabian Leckey; "The Story Told by the Pins," a story for children, by Anna Virginia Russell; "Memory Days," giving a picture of life in Virginia fifty years ago, by Alexander S. Paxton; and "My Life and My Lectures," by Lamar Fontaine, C. E., Ph. D.

This month Duffield & Co. will publish "The Stratford Town Shakespeare," a complete edition of the plays and poems in ten volumes issued from the "Shakespeare Head Press," Stratford-on-Avon. This edition is the only one ever published from the poet's birthplace, and special attention has been paid to its outward appearance, paper, binding, &c.

"The Kingdom in India: Whose?" is the title of a book to be published this month by the Fleming H. Revell Company. Owing to the death of the author, Dr. Jacob Chamberlain, M. D., D. D., LL. D., the noted missionary to India, this will be made a memorial volume with biographical sketch by Henry Nitchie Cobb, D. D.

Two books that were scheduled for publication last month by the Frederick A. Stokes Company have been postponed until this month. The first of these, appearing this week, is Miss Alice Lounsberry's "Garden Book for Young People," an entertaining guide for young people at gardening, and "Scientific Nutrition Simplified," by Goodwin Brown, a prominent New York lawyer. The last-named book gives a condensed statement and explanation for everybody of the discoveries and experiments in dietetics made by Chittenden, Fletcher, and others. It will be published on the 20th of this month.

Next week Mitchell Kennerley will publish a novel by Julius Chambers called "On a Margin." Stock gambling forms the subject of the story, which takes place in New York twenty-five years ago, and is understood to give much of the career, under the guise of romance, of Jay Gould.

Early next month B. W. Huebsch will publish a novel with the alliterative title, "June Jeopardy." The latter is the work of Inez Haynes Gillmore, a writer of short stories for popular magazines. The action of the story takes place in Boston between sundown and sunrise of a single day.

Three books are published this week by Doubleday, Page & Co., as follows: "Country Residences in Europe and America," by Louis V. Le Moyne, a volume containing detailed descriptions and profuse illustrations of the notable residences of this country and Europe; "Prose Every Child Should Know," a book of prose selections brought together under the editorship of Miss Mary E. Burt, and "The Shell Book," a sumptuous "nature book," profusely illustrated, and giving a popular account of living molluscs, their appearance, habits, &c., as well as their cultivation by man. The author, Miss Julia Ellen Rogers, has two other books to her credit—"Among Green Trees" and "The Tree Book."

A new Vernon Lee book will be published this month by the John Lane Company. It is to comprise "Limbo" and other essays, as well as "Ariadne in Mantua," a prose drama in five acts. A uniform edition of Vernon Lee's works is in preparation for early publication. Another book promised for this month is "The King's General in the West," the title which is given to an illustrated life of Sir Richard Granville, (1600 to 1659,) compiled from various sources by the Rev. Roger Granville, sub-dean of Exeter Cathedral. Sir Richard Granville was an ardent royalist, who has been the subject of considerable controversy in histories dealing with the period of Charles I. of England.

"The Young Malefactor" is the title of a book by Thomas Travis, Ph. D., which is published this month by Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. It gives the result of years spent in studying juvenile criminals and the methods employed in their trial and punishment.

Moffat, Yard & Co. will publish at once a book by Thomas L. Masson entitled "The New Plato: Socrates Redivivus." It describes the arrival of Socrates, a garrulous old man, from Athens in New York, and his subsequent stay at the Mills Hotel. There he naturally discusses various modern problems instead of the old subjects that used to occupy him in the Athens of Plato.

This week Longmans, Green & Co. publish "English Local Government from the Revolution to the Municipal Corporations Act: The Manor and the Borough," by Sidney and Beatrice Webb. The work is an exhaustive one in two volumes, and gives for the first time several important features in English local government from 1689 to 1835.

"Over Against Green Peak," published this week by Henry Holt & Co., is the title of a book by Miss Zephine Humphrey giving a humorous and poetical record of American country life. Another book of essays issued simultaneously with this one is J. A. Spender's "The Comments of Bagehot."

The edition of the novels of the great Norwegian author Björnson has just been completed by the Macmillan Company by the publication in two volumes of "The Heritage of the Kurts." A bibliographical note by Edmund Gosse, the editor of the series, relates the circumstances in which this first of the Björnson novels was produced, and points out the important place it occupies in his works. The translation is by Cecil Fairfax.

Harper & Brothers will publish in the latter part of the month a novel by Margaret Potter dedicated "To the Wives of American Business Men." The title of the book is "The Golden Ladder," and the scene of the story is divided between Chicago and New York. It emphasizes the dangerously absorbing part business may play in a man's life and pleasure in a woman's.

By the last of this month the Outing Publishing Company will issue a book by Agnes C. Laut entitled "The Conquest of the Great Northwest." The work, which promises to be a valuable addition to American history, gives, from original sources, what may be called the story of the Hudson Bay Company.

A new novel by Mrs. Henry de la Pasture, author of "The Lonely Lady of Grosvenor Square," &c., will be published in the latter part of this month by E. P. Dutton & Co. It is a modern love story, the heroine being a beautiful middle-aged widow, and the hero a fiery Welshman of sixty, whose home is a Norman castle among his native hills. The title of the novel will be "The Grey Knight."

The third and last volume of Bielschowsky's "Life of Goethe" is published this week by G. P. Putnam's Sons. The translation into English of this work is made by William A. Cooper, Assistant Professor of German in the Leland Stanford University. German critics declare this to be the most important and authoritative "Life of Goethe" thus far published. The present volume deals with the period from the Congress of Vienna to the poet's death, 1815-1832.

Two novels which will be published on the 25th of this month by Dodd, Mead & Co. are "The Husbands of Edith," a novel dealing with a party of English tourists on the Continent, by George Barr McCutcheon, author of "Graustark," &c., and "Meryl," a New Hampshire story of the present day, by William Tillinghast Eldridge, author of "Hilma."

It will interest all who read the appreciation of Leonard Merrick's fiction published in THE SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS of March 28 to know that one of Mr. Merrick's novels, "Lynch's Daughter," has just begun to run serially in The Ladies' Home Journal, and will be published in the Autumn by the McClure Company.

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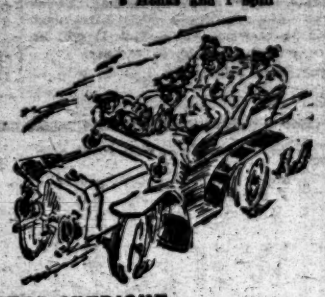

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BOSTON, April 10.—Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. almost succeeded in distracting all attention from their books this week by the double announcement of their approaching incorporation as the Houghton Mifflin Company and of the formation of the Atlantic Monthly Company to publish the magazine, beginning with the August number. As all the partners in the old firm belong to the corporation, as the business policy of the firm will be maintained, and as no change will be made in the conduct or editorship of the magazine, the announcement calls for none of the regret ordinarily elicited by such proclamations. Messrs. James Duncan Phillips, Roger L. Scaife, Stephen B. Davol, Edward R. Houghton, and Mr. George Harrison Mifflin, Jr., all now connected with the firm, will become members of the corporation, and Messrs. Ellery Sedgwick, Waldo E. Forbes, MacGregor Jenkins, and Roger Pierce will be members of the company, and the old order at Riverside and at 4 Park Street will give place to nothing new, unless it be a general accession of energy where energy was not before lacking.

"In the Woods and on the Shore," which Messrs. L. C. Page & Co. issue this Spring, would attract attention in Boston, whatsoever might be its merits, inasmuch as its author, Mr. R. W. Ware, is the lawyer who a few seasons ago successfully pleaded the cause of Mr. Mason, a young man accused of having committed a series of brutal murders, no reason being alleged except the possession of some good coats and a better accent than his contemners. Sportsmen will find better reason in its lively account of the comparatively unfamiliar caribou Summer haunts in Southeastern Newfoundland, its stories of a black moose on the Nepisquit, of shooting on the Massachusetts coast from Ponkapog to Monomoy, from sand piper to bald eagle; of bear hunting in the Canadian woods, and of some fortunate photography. The author writes entirely as a sportsman, with no pretense at any sort of sentiment, and no attempt to humanize his four-legged quarry, except perhaps when he represents two deer as prodding a wounded comrade with their horns to prevent him from dropping on his knees. If that be treason, make the most of it, for there is not more in the cheery book.

"Aunt Jane of Kentucky" having been set in raised type, Miss Helen Keller is now reading it, having, it is to be supposed, already read the biography of Edgar Allan Poe written by Mr. John Macy, the husband of her former teacher, Miss Sullivan, with whom she now makes her home. This book was published by Messrs. Small, Maynard & Co., as a Beacon biography.

President Angell's recent statement of his continued belief in co-education, may, it is hinted, have been provoked by the gossip about Mrs. H. A. Mitchell Keays's "Road to Damascus," but his injunctions to the girl students imply nothing of the sort, being merely sensible suggestions as to their manners. The gossip on this matter seems rather cruel, all things considered. One worthless girl student in a book proves nothing against a university, especially when against an unnamed university.

As soon as Mr. Herford's "Simple Jografy," which he is treating with Horatian attention to perfection, shall be actually on the booksellers' counters, Messrs. John W. Luce & Co. will begin seriously to think of "Julie's Diary," a new anonymous novel of which the heroine is a young person apparently emulous of Marie Bashkirtseff, and possibly destined to the same sort of renown.

The present American practice of spelling a word by giving a list of its letters has produced a generation of pupils entirely ignorant of syllabification, and bewildered in all languages, classic and modern, in which the syllable is the base of three of the five principal parts of grammar. For the help of puzzled students in French Miss Mary Stone Bruce of the Newton High School has prepared "Lectures Faciles" for High School pupils, a manual giving especial attention to this point. The book will be issued by Messrs. D. C. Heath, who also announce Halévy's "Un Mariage d'Amour," edited by Mr. R. L. Hawkins of Harvard; "Selections from Boileau," edited by Prof. Kuhns of Wesleyan University, and "Selections from Hugo's Poems," edited by Prof. Schinz of Bryn Mawr.

Miss Ellen C. Semple, the author of "American History and Its Geographic Conditions," issued by Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., has been invited to lecture at Oxford and elsewhere in England this Summer. Her paper on "Coast Peoples," published in The London Geographical Journal, will form part of the new book which the firm expects to issue for her next year.

The Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Publishing Company is bringing out Mr. Charles B. Newcomb's "Principles of Psychic Philosophy," the third of his works intended to lay bare the latent soul forces by which man may literally make himself master of his fate. It is divided into twelve chapters, to each of which the author suggests that two days' consideration should be given. Roughly, it may be classed as a "new thought" book, and it is really useful to any one afflicted with chronic despondency.

Reeves Dakin, the heroine of Miss Florence J. Lewis's "Climbing Up to Nature," to be published by the C. M. Clark Company, is evidently meant to be regarded as the story of a well-known young star, but the comic element in the story will probably be more attractive to readers. The grocer's offer of an "outing to his paid-ups" is the latest novelty in advertising.

STEPHENSON BROWNE.

THE CHURCH IN RHODE ISLAND.

A truly valuable addition to the source documents of American history is once more made available to the student in a new addition to Updike's "History of the Episcopal Church in Narragansett," which has been newly edited, enlarged, and corrected by the Rev. Daniel Goodwin, (D. B. Updike. The Merrymount Press. Boston: In three volumes. $15 per set.) The first edition was published in 1847 in limited number, and thirty years ago it had become a bibliographical rarity, copies selling for ten times their original price. Of late years much new material had come to light bearing upon the subject, and in consequence of this and of the impossibility of supplying the demand for the original work the new edition has been published. The work throws so much light upon the social and ecclesiastical history of Rhode Island in the eighteenth century, and gives so many intimate, self-made pictures of the life of the time that it will be sure of a warm welcome from all students of that period. Dr. Goodwin has retained the text of the original work in its entirety, merely making necessary corrections and dividing into chapters. The addition of new matter he has made in the form of notes, segregated in the back of each volume, and bulking as large as the original text. The book contains a history of the Episcopal Church in Narragansett and of other Episcopal Churches in Rhode Island, and of all the principal families of that region, a transcript of the parish register, and reprints of many interesting old documents, letters and diaries, among these the "America Dissecte" of the Rev. James McSparren. There is a copious index, filling some fifty pages, of all the proper names in the text, while the very full table of contents, arranged chronologically, makes easy the work of reference. In arrangement and typography the work is worthy of much praise. Fifty portraits in full page photogravure illustrate the volume. They are from paintings, many by such famous artists as Copley, Stuart, Trumbull, and Lawrence. More than half of these have never been reproduced before. An interesting inclusion in the appendix is the reproduction of the quaint wood cuts of localities which illustrated the original work.

A LEAF FROM ENGLAND'S HISTORY IN CHINA.

Like a voice out of the past is Helen H. Robbins's account of "Our First Ambassador to China," (imported by E. P. Dutton & Co., $5.) It comprises the record of the life of George, Earl of Macartney, as Ambassador to China from 1737 to 1806, and contains copious extracts from his letters and his own narrative of his experiences in China. Nearly all of this material has now its first publication, so that, although the historical matters with which the book deals are already familiar, the personal touch which its pages add will enhance its general interest. The recent very great increase of interest in the peoples and countries of the Orient make opportune the publication of this glimpse of the attitude of the Chinese toward the foreigner a hundred years ago.

How to Kill a Summer Pest.

A book published recently by Putnams, whose appropriateness is rather obvious with the advent of warm weather, carries for its title "Mosquitos." The little volume is by Evelyn Groesbeck Mitchell, A. B., M. S., and in it is given an account of the habits and life cycles of the known mosquitos of the United States, and, what is of more pressing and immediate importance, methods are indicated for their control. The various kinds of mosquitos are, of course, described and especial attention is paid to that most disgraceful member of his race, the "anopheles." The book is largely based upon the investigations of the late James William Dupree, Surgeon General of Louisiana, and upon original observations by the writer.

LITERARY NEWS OF PHILADELPHIA

An Unusually Long List of Book Announcements—Authors and Publishers All Appear Busy.

EDWARD S. ELLIS, the veteran writer of stories for boys, has placed in the hands of the John C. Winston Company the manuscripts of three new books to be called the "Arizona Series," with the following titles: "Off the Reservation," "Trailing Geronimo," and "The Round Up." The scene of these stories is in Arizona, about 1885, when Geronimo and the Apaches were on the warpath. The last volume is said to bring the young hero's adventures to a triumphant end in the style which Mr. Ellis's thousands of readers have long loved.

George W. Jacobs & Co. have established a novel loan library plan in connection with their book-selling business. A number of open shelves have been set up and new books of fiction are arranged alphabetically in them, so that a prospective borrower can make his choice. Any person of good credit may take out the volume he chooses at the rate of two cents a day for the time elapsing until its return. The minimum charge is for three days. In this way the newest books, in an entirely clean condition, can be read by the patrons of the firm without the inconvenience of indulging in the competition at the loan desk of a public library. When the volume has served its uses at two cents a day, it will appear at the "hurt book" counter. The idea in combination with a book store seems to be new. It is enjoying much popularity.

Gov. Hughes of New York is said to be the real hero of the story by Thomas McKean, to be brought out by Lippincotts next week. Although license is used in altering the character of the type which he has chosen, the author acknowledges that his study has been suggested by the Governor of New York, "a politician," he says, "who is an earnest reformer, to whom honesty and integrity are everything." The book, which is entitled "The Master Influence," deals with social conditions of the present day. Its characters are modern people with modern ideas, and the scenes are laid mostly in New York, although the reader is later transported to Sicily. The Italian scenes are said to be drawn very warmly and pleasantly. The plot centres about the heroine, who believes herself incapable of love, although it later proves "the master influence" in her life. A delightful love story is woven about this woman, and there is another romance involving a society woman who renounces everything and elopes with a morphine fiend in an endeavor to save him. This is Mr. McKean's second novel, his first, "The Vortex," having been published in 1905. His poems are also well known. He has been at work two years on his new book. Mr. McKean is a great traveler and a fine linguist. He has just completed a handsome country seat in Radnor Township, Rosemont, three miles from Bryn Mawr. The house is surrounded by 43 acres of land.

"The Princess Dehra," by John Reed Scott, which Lippincotts announce for May, has been illustrated by Clarence F. Underwood. Both author and artist have finished their work upon the book, and it is now going to press. The publishers report large advance orders, and they expect much of it. Mr. Scott's last novel, "Beatrix of Clare," made its way into the list of the "six best sellers."

The John C. Winston Company has ready for early publication a new "Bible Encyclopedia," which is said to be superior to any other handbook for Bible students of its size. The work is edited by the Rev. Jesse Lyman Hurlbut, D. D., who for many years prepared the notes on the "International Sunday School Lessons." The book will be issued under the title "Hurlbut's Handy Bible Encyclopedia," and contains a complete concordance to the Scriptures, a subject index, and an encyclopedic dictionary of Biblical names, customs, places, and history. It comprises under one alphabetical arrangement all subjects of interest to Bible students which have hitherto been found in the usual teacher's aids to the various editions of the Bible, together with much additional matter obtained from the latest authoritative sources. The work has been carefully revised and written in language free from scholarly technicalities. The work will be profusely illustrated and will be ready this month.

The same house is adding to its already very extensive series of over 600 international Bibles a complete new line of teachers' Bibles, containing all necessary and useful aids to Scriptural study, revised and corrected up to date. These "helps" will be especially appreciated because they are printed in clear, bold face type which the eye can easily follow. The laborious work of correcting the proofs and certifying to the accuracy of the work has been performed by the Rev. Alfred J. P. McClure, the Philadelphia Secretary of the General Clergy Relief Fund. Some idea of the magnitude of his task is evidenced by the fact that each page contains several hundred references to texts in the Bible, which it was necessary to verify in every case.

The American Baptist Publication Society has just issued "The Mature Man's Difficulties with His Bible," by Dr. D. W. Faunce, a well-known religious writer. This book is a companion volume to the same author's "A Young Man's Difficulties with His Bible," which has had a wide circulation. These volumes are intended to help those "assailed by doubts to a firmer and more intelligent hold upon the sacred book."

Edmund Clarence Stedman, who was a great admirer of Lafcadio Hearn, had just before his death read the manuscript of Dr. George M. Gould's book concerning this curious literary genius. He predicted that Hearn would in time become as admired and romantic a personality as Poe. The bibliography of Hearn's writings, which accompanies the volume, announced for early issue by George W. Jacobs & Co., is the work of Mr. Stedman's grandaughter, Miss Laura Stedman.

"Practical Life Insurance Examinations" is the title of a new book by Dr. Murray E. Ramsey, which the Lippincotts have in hand. The author has been an examiner for many years for several large New York insurance companies, and he has embodied the results of his experience in a handbook. The volume is a novelty, as is attested by the notice which the advance announcements concerning it have aroused.

The title of William Jasper Nicolls's new novel, in Jacobs's hands for early issue, was at first announced as "An Island Maid." The author has changed it to "Brunhilda of Orr's Island." Hilda, or Brunhilda, is the name of the fresh and attractive young heroine, and by the rechristening she is associated with that island on the Maine coast where the scenes are set, and where she is wooed by a wealthy New York society man.

The successful "Wit and Humor Series" of George W. Jacobs & Co. is to be added to this year by a volume entitled "Wit and Humor of Business." This will be the twelfth or thirteenth book in the set, and the publishers announce that the series will be complete in fifteen volumes.

Emma Churchman Hewitt, formerly an assistant editor of The Ladies' Home Journal, has prepared a useful little book on "How to Train Children." It will be issued by Jacobs at an early date.

"Delight," which has just been published by the Henry Altemus Company, is put forward as "the first Christian Science juvenile." It is written by Gertrude Smith, author of the "Arabella and Araminta" and the "Roggie and Reggie" stories. Christian Science through the lips of a child is the simplest expression of the purpose of the book.

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BRIEF REVIEWS OF LATELY PUBLISHED BOOKS.

THE FASCINATION OF THE NORTHLAND.

FROM the beginning of her novel writing Miss Elizabeth Robins has always wanted a big canvas. And in her latest book, "Come and Find Me" (The Century Company, $1.50) she has indulged in the largest of them all. Its scene is laid partly in California and partly in Alaska, it covers a quarter century in time, and it fairly teems with characters. But although its pages are so crowded with people, every one of these, even when they make but a brief entrance upon the scene, has a distinct touch of individuality, and the important ones are worked out and depicted with all the detail of a miniature. Indeed, it is in the creation and portrayal of character that Miss Robins finds her chief warrant as a novelist. One feels that her impelling desire in writing has been not so much to tell a story as to body forth the personalities that have taken shape in her brain. And her dramatic sense is so keen that she does not do this by means of description, analysis, and narrative, as is the more frequent custom among novelists of that sort. From the start they are creations, alive, active, who are made by their own words and works to show what they are. With no end of brief scenes, conversations, incidents, Miss Robins makes them gradually depict themselves until they stand out before the reader's mind vivid and convincing.

But Miss Robins is not so well endowed with the story teller's instinct as she is with the faculty for the dramatic portrayal of character. The story in her novels is their weakest point. In this book one notes a decided strengthening of the thread of story, but it is stretched to such tenuosity and is so overloaded with characters that it frequently sinks out of sight. The basis of the tale is the discovery of gold which a young man had made in Alaska in 1885. He came home from the trip twisted and maimed by accident and hardship, settled down as a bank clerk, married, and struggled through the years. He tried to interest others in his find, but failed so constantly that at last he grows sensitive about even mentioning the matter. He has a wife, handsome, capable, energetic, hard, and flavored with shrewishness. Their sons grow up and are merely amused when he wishes them to go to Alaska and rediscover his treasure. They are as capable and energetic as their mother, and they go into business and help out the family finances. The daughter, Hildegarde, is a big, handsome, slow girl, whose portrait is fairly convincing, although it lacks the crispness and definiteness of that of her friend, Bella Wayne, who is as clear-cut and lifelike a figure as one often finds in fiction.

At last comes the discovery of gold and the rush to Alaska. Finally Nathaniel Mar, notwithstanding his age and his lameness, unable to convince any one else of what he had seen himself so long ago, goes to Western Alaska, far out near Bering Strait, to prove what he has said and win his fortune. But he finally gets there just too late, his secret is filched from him, and others pan out the millions that were waiting. He refuses to return until he has conquered fortune in some other place, and finally his distraught daughter, Hildegarde, goes to Nome to endeavor to persuade him to come home. Intermingled with this and somewhat tangled up with each other are two love affairs between Hildegarde and a forthright, sturdy young fellow who makes his pile in Dawson and follows her to Nome, and between Bella Wayne, bewitching and provoking, and John Galbraith, a rich young man whose nerves are a-thrill with the attraction of the north pole.

Perhaps the worst fault to be found with Miss Robins as a novelist is that she lacks the sense of proportion. At least a third of the book is devoted to a description of Hildegarde's journey to Nome, an amount of space that is out of all proportion to its importance in the story. Moreover, it is mere reporting—reporting of an uncommonly good sort, indeed, for it is not description, but a vivid, dramatic presentation of the life aboard ship from day to day. Nevertheless one feels that it is merely an account of the author's own experiences and observations upon a similar trip. There is some very admirable writing in the account of Hildegarde's experience at the deathbed of the young man who had discovered the north pole. The title is significant of the powerful attraction of the mysterious Far North, and it is this which forms the chief motive of the book.

AN UNEVEN NOVEL.

There is something tragic in a really fine book that flags toward the end. The opening of Anna Chapin Ray's "Quickened" (Little, Brown & Co.) is so admirable that one expects great things to follow throughout the tale. The forceful and artistic depiction of the Sainte Anne pilgrimage, the subtle suggestion of the crime to which no reference is made, the fine dramatic handling of the meeting of Alstrom, the fugitive, and Wood, the man who holds him in his power—these points show very unusual strength and originality. But the book trails on and on to its eventual destruction. With the death of Wood—an episode which is in itself treated as well, we think, as it could possibly be treated—the interest begins to wane. The lamp burns low, and our absorption in Alstrom and the others becomes blunted and blurred. By the end of the book the great psychological crisis leaves us almost unmoved. However, there are at least a hundred pages of tense, well-written drama, and they alone would make the book well worth reading.

CLIMBING MT. McKINLEY.

INTERESTING, spectacular, important, all these and perhaps several other adjectives as well, are needful for adequate description of the feat of Frederick A. Cook, M. D., when he climbed Mount McKinley and set the Stars and Stripes upon the highest peak in North America at an altitude of 20,390 feet. A portion of the account of this perilous undertaking, several times defeated, but finally successful, has already had magazine publication. But the entire story in detail is published now, under the title "To the Top of the Continent," (Doubleday, Page & Co., $2.50,) with a great many excellent illustrations from photographs, numerous drawings and maps, and a frontispiece in color from a painting by Russell W. Porter, giving a view of Mount McKinley towering above the surrounding peaks.

Dr. Cook's first expedition was made in 1903, during which he and his party explored much of the country to the southwest and west of the mountain and attacked the peak without success from those two directions. This trip was made with the help of pack horses, Indian cayuses which he had taken from Yakima. But when he renewed the attempt to conquer the ice-clad mountain in 1906 a motorboat was added to his equipment, and in this he made his way up swift glacial streams and through tumbling rapids, exploring the Yentna, the Susitana, and the Chulitna Rivers. This work and the exploration and mapping of glaciers and mountain peaks occupied all the Summer until well on in August. Then the party scattered and it was finally with a single companion, Edward Barrille, with whom Dr. Cook gained the summit of Mount McKinley on Sept. 16, 1906.

By reason of the wide variety of difficulties to be surmounted, Dr. Cook's story is unique among the annals of both mountain and arctic exploration. They had to cross swamps and jungles in which the rank and tangled vegitation was more like that of torrid than of arctic zones; mosquitos beset them in clouds by day and night, and both horses and men were made ill by the poison of their stings; they had to wade or swim streams of ice-cold water so frequently that most of the time they were wet to the skin; they had to battle against violent storms of wind and rain or snow, and as they mounted to higher altitudes they suffered all the hardships of polar exploration in the intense cold, while the contest with snow and ice added to the discomforts of the high altitude.

For the general reader the book is of great interest, not only because of its record of heroic struggle against discomforts, dangers, and appalling obstacles and final achievement, but also because Dr. Cook had time and skill to note by the way so many fascinating things. He had his eyes open all the time, and everything that he saw interested him, from the frozen blueberries that made them all ill to the awful magnificence of the scene when he and Barrille finally stood upon the top of Mount McKinley, with the arctic world at their feet. As he had the good sense to feel that whatever interested him would interest the reader too, he has written a book of exploration that is uncommonly human and attractive. We admire with him the beautiful, orderly, park-like scenery from the top of Mount Yenlo, and later understand just why he lost all his enthusiasm over it when his party in crossing it suffered so many ills from mosquitos, icy streams, dense underbrush, and constant rains. We sympathize with his triumph when he finally contrives a method of making biscuits—bread marbles, to be more accurate—which are just the thing for carrying in the food pack up above the line of constant zero. The moose and caribou and mountain sheep and grizzly bears with which they have adventures of one sort or another are all here, and divide our interest with the horses of the expedition, which never lose an opportunity to do some unique thing. And we appreciate the somewhat defiant air with which the author, after he has told about their frozen clothing, wet feet, meagre fare, and constant exposure, declares that they enjoyed unusually good health and spirits until they returned to civilization. But as they began sleeping under roofs and in beds and eating three square meals a day they all began to suffer once more the usual ills of mankind. Dr. Cook has been very sensitive to the beauty of form and color, the uncanny fascination, and the wild, unreal aspect of arctic scenery, both above and below the clouds, and he describes it with a simplicity that makes his word pictures all the more vivid and impressive.

Several appendices, written by different members of his party, give accounts of the aborigines, present biological and geological data, and one treats of railway routes in Alaska.

JEWISH TALES.

STORIES OF JEWISH HOME LIFE. By S. H. Rosenthal. Translated from the German. Philadelphia: The Jewish Publication Society of America.

THIS little volume of translated "Stories of Jewish Home Life" should be as fascinating to the Gentile reader as many stories of Gentile hearth and fireside experience have been to the Jews. That is to say, though adhering strictly to types of the Hebrew people, the little volume is filled to overflowing with sentiments and emotions common to all races—and stamped with a dignity more or less peculiar to the Semitic instincts. In this collection of stories the author opens wide the door and permits the reader to view the inner recesses of a fine home life now too little understood—and too little emulated.

The book contains five tales, all of them tinged with a pervading note of pathos. They are "Aunt Guttraud," "Schlemihlchen," "Rav's Mine," "Jephthah's Daughter," and "Raschelchen." Though the male characters, especially those of patriarchal rank, are well and sympathetically drawn, the hero, so to speak, is in every case a heroine.

"Schlemihlchen" and "Japhthah's Daughter" are irresistibly "quaint." "Aunt Guttraud" and "Rav's Mine" are both stories of self-abnegation—the one the story of a faithful wife who voluntarily stood beside her convicted husband when he was pilloried in the stocks, and the other the story of a love untold, yet so magnificent it could still cherish the object of love even when that object found another and a younger mate. The tale of "Raschelchen" is a tragedy; a tragedy of a Jewish woman and a Gentile man; the tragedy of love as opposed to duty and obedience; the story of a broken heart, a destiny unfulfilled, and a great musical gift wasted. It is the tragedy of "What is right and what is wrong?" As the aged mother exclaims after the death of her gifted child, "Should a poor girl cleave to her husband or her parents?" The mother, alive, had followed her own will. The daughter, dead, had obeyed.

These stories are not mere pallid, perfunctory sketches of scenes and incidents. Each deals with the great joy or sorrow of a human existence.

TO KNOW THE TREES.

HANDBOOK OF THE TREES OF THE NORTHERN STATES AND CANADA, EAST OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS. Photo-descriptive. By Romeyn Beck Hough. Pp. x-470. 8vo. Cloth. Lowville, N. Y.: Published by the author.

An unusual book for every student of trees is this volume, which Mr. Hough modestly calls a handbook of the trees of our Northern States and Canada. Two pages are devoted to each tree, and when it is said that 207 varieties are treated in this careful manner, the reader, whether a keen student of the things of the woods or not, will form some idea of the perseverence and patience required to perfect the volume for publication. One of the two pages devoted to each tree contains photographs of the branches, leaves, flowers, and seeds. These are shown against a ruled background on the basis of square inches, thus giving at a glance the natural size. The second page contains a brief but very compact description, a map of the United States and Canada, upon which a shaded section denotes the general limits within which the tree is to be found, a magnified section of its wood structure, and a large photograph of the tree trunk, the point aimed at here being to reveal prominently the characteristics of the bark.

Mr. Hough's short preface telling how he secured the material gives one a faint idea of the great amount of labor involved. He says:

> One season I could not find a single tree of the common sugar maple bearing fruit, though I examined many from Northern New York to North Carolina and westward to Missouri. One Winter not a solitary twig could I find of the yellow birch bearing its dormant catkins. I searched in vain two successive seasons for the pistillate flowers of the butternut, so regularly did the late frosts of Spring destroy them. * * * Procuring specimens from lofty tree tops are trivial compared with instances like these. Add to this the distribution of our trees and the consequent necessity of being in many places at about the same time, and it can be readily understood that the field work would not be accomplished in one or two seasons.

MURDER MYSTERY.

A detective story with gruesomeness practically eliminated, yet with a full complement of critical situations and plenty of apparently incontrovertible evidences of guilt on the part of entirely innocent individuals, is "The Hemlock Avenue Mystery," (Little, Brown & Co., $1.50,) by Roman Doubleday. A prominent lawyer found dead just after a quarrel with an equally prominent adversary makes a hasty conclusion of the latter's guilt inevitable, while the rapid movement of the tale involves inexplicably one after another three delightful and entirely dissimilar women. With the ladies are introduced three love affairs, one just budding, one full-fledged, and the third involving a domestic tangle. The stage presently becomes a veritable cobweb party wherein each individual at length disentangles his own particular thread to the ultimate disclosure of guilt on the head of the one least suspected—for it wouldn't be a real detective story if a suspected person were ever found really guilty.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE EXAMINED.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. The Faith and Its Founder. By Lyman P. Powell, Rector of St. John's Church, Northampton, Mass. Pp. xviii.-261. New York and London: G. P. Putnam's Sons, The Knickerbocker Press. $1.25.

This is a book with which Christian Science will have to reckon. Mr. Powell was formerly inclined to favor Christian Science, or at any rate did not oppose it. He then saw that it tended to drive people from historic Christianity, and that there were in its theory certain structural weaknesses which were not satisfactorily explained. He therefore began a careful study of the whole subject. In this study he has gone direct to original sources. Where he has made use of Georgine Milmine's articles in McClure's he has in every case vertified her statements by personal investigation. He sets forth his results in this volume. And they are presented in clear and readable form, gaining convincing power through copious notes referring to authorities. He discusses the sources of the Christian Science faith, the life, and character of its founder, its relation to philosophy and to religion, its claims in regard to healing, and its effect on marriage and the family. The result is a scathing indictment, all the more scathing because of the dispassionate form in which it is presented. He finds its philosophy false, its attitude to religion injurious, its effect on health bad, and its relation to marriage and the family full of danger.

How can the defenders of Christian Science fail to meet fairly attacks that are evidently not based on mere passion or prejudice? How can they longer continue to ignore the mass of fact that is being brought before the public? Can they content themselves with saying that such attacks are only the product of "mortal mind," and therefore not existent? Is the public not entitled to expect full and open answers to Georgine Milmine's articles, and to Mr. Powell's careful study?

A WEST INDIAN GUIDE.

No one is more fit than is Mr. Frederick A. Ober to write "A Guide to the West Indies and the Bermudas," (Dodd, Mead & Co., $2.25.) The rapidly increasing volume of travel to the Caribbean during the Winter season has made the need of just such a book imperative. It contains 500 pages of closely printed information, 100 half tones, and 5 maps. The last mentioned are adequate for the use of those who see the island mainly from shipboard, traveling a little in Cuba and Porto Rico. They will be little help to anybody ashore elsewhere. Mr. Ober knows the West Indies thoroughly, loves them, and writes about them enthusiastically with full information acquired through repeated visits, and with interest in every detail of the scenery, customs, and history of the island. Travelers in the Caribbean have missed much heretofore because they were not able to take with them such a guide as this of Mr. Ober's. Travelers in the future will have to thank him for doubling the delights of visits to this enchanted part of the earth.

LOVE OF THE PEARL.

"The Pearl," by W. B. Cattelle, (J. B. Lippincott,) is an interesting treatise on the history, legendary and otherwise, characteristics, and value of a jewel whose charms have long enslaved both civilized and barbaric nations. The writer fixes the date when history first mentions the pearl at about twenty-three hundred years ago, although a word is found for it in a Chinese dictionary 4,000 years old. The formation of the jewel is treated at considerable length, as are also its color, the traits which make it valuable and the manner of reckoning its value. A light is thrown on some stories of the fabulous value attached to certain collections of pearls and the methods of jewelers and custodians of royal treasures in enhancing their value. Many legends are incorporated in the volume, but the story of Cleopatra's pearl is discredited. The pearl fisheries are described at some length, both ancient and modern methods being recorded, and there are some excellent illustrations of pearls in the shell. There is a glossary of the terms used regarding pearls, a table of the more important fisheries, together with the general characteristics of the gems found in each locality, and the volume is carefully indexed.

A REMARKABLE BOOK.

"William Jordan, Junior," by J. C. Snaith, (Moffat, Yard & Co.,) is a book of such peculiar charm and rare quality that it is impossible to approach it from the purely critical point of view. We read it, absorbed and carried far out of our commoner selves, but when we try to

imprison the magic in a phrase or succession of phrases, we find ourselves endeavoring to cage a cloud wreath or put a moonbeam in a frame. Not that the book has not solid merits—purity of English, strength of handling, beauty of thought, dignity of construction—but these things seem but the foundation-work for a psychological loveliness, half mystic, half human, which eludes, even while it thrills us.

To tell the bare story of "William Jordan, Junior," would be but to describe a delicate, high-strung boy with a pitiful birthmark, who has been brought up by his father, an old scholar and bookseller, in complete ignorance of the world and its ways. The development of this boy—his struggles, his sufferings, his bewildered unhappiness in coming in contact with the "street-persons," as he calls all the every-day run of men who walk through the London streets on their various kinds of business—his final growth into the poet for whom he and his father believe that the world has been waiting; these form the pegs on which to hang the fabric of Mr. Smith's book. And such a wonderful fabric! Sometimes vividly colored, sometimes faintly gray and dream-like, the pulse of life showing red in it, only to be enmeshed in some delicate silver thread of asceticism and exaltation. It is symbolical, illuminating, and always exquisite, always touching—as big, indescribable things are touching; a piece of nature and time and the cosmos.

For the human part of it we can only say that characters such as the poet's father, and the aged schoolmaster, and dear, human Jimmy Dodson, should immortalize any book, even without the splendid symbolism of the Book of Ages and the Great Poem.

The strange visionaries, father and son, do not seem far-fetched creations as we read, but high priests of the most beautiful dreams of the world.

"Of course they are as wrong as they can be," says Jimmy Dodson, in despairing adoration. "Yet the marvelous thing is that they make you feel that all the world is wrong and that they are the only reasonable people in it!"

IN THE BRONX.

A particularly amateurish piece of fiction, is "Priest and Pagan," (Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,) the authorship of which is acknowledged by Herbert M. Hopkins, whose earlier novel, "The Mayor of Warwick," attracted some attention a couple of years ago. In "The Mayor of Warwick" a street car conductor and a college professor were rivals for a high-bred lady's favor; in the present instance the rivals are a young vicar who is building a church in the Bronx, and a scion of one of those old Washington Square families so popular in fiction. The scion is supposed to have been drowned at sea. He has allowed the world to believe so, and the story finds him coming home to view his own cenotaph—erected by a devoted uncle.

For the rest the story—thrown against a raw Bronx background, with glimpses of the Park and the ugly sproutings of the suburbs about the pleasant old country house where the heroine dwells—shows how badly the vicar wooed and how well the scion of Washington Square. Then it shows what an unsatisfactory husband a skillful wooer may make. And how unwise it is for a man who is half a Jew to refuse the honor of his Oriental heritage—even when he is a Christian minister.

Mr. Hopkins has a turn for casuistical questions of conscience. One sees that for him man is made for morals, not morals for man. The trouble with the story is the fact that the author is not enough at home in the environment he has elected for his people to make the reader feel at home. By the way, Mr. Hopkins cannot resist the temptation to let his heroine do turns in vaudeville, and he condemns his half-Jewish vicar to the unsympathetic task of converting his mother's people to Christianity. This by way of atonement for having denied his Jewish blood in his youth.

SHAKESPEARE AND OUTDOOR SPORT.

A new edition of "The Diary of Master William Silence," by the Right Hon. D. H. Madden, Vice Chancellor of the University of Dublin, has been issued by Longmans, Green & Co., with the addition of a new explanatory preface and a great many notes and revisions. The volume was first issued some ten years ago and has proved so valuable an addition to the discussion of matters Shakespearean than it is now brought out in a smaller and less costly form in order to make it accessible to a larger number of Shakespearean students. It is a study of outdoor sport as practiced in the time of Elizabeth and as set forth in the writings of Shakespeare. It is the author's opinion that whatever else Shakespeare may have been, "he was beyond doubt a sportsman, with rare skill in the mysteries of woodcraft, . . . a practical falconer, . . . and a horseman and horsekeeper, accustomed to speak the homely language of the stable, whose knowledge of the horse and of his fifty diseases was such as can only be gained by experience."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE IN INDIA.

"Paul Anthony, Christian," by William W. Hayes, (Reid Publishing Company, Boston,) is a tale of Christian Science triumphant. It begins in a country town in New York, with the death of a young man who had planned to go to India as a missionary. Upon his deathbed he exacts a promise from his fiancée that she will go and carry on alone the work they had hoped to do together. In India she meets a young American engineer, there upon important professional work, who is also much occupied with the spreading of the Gospel of Christian Science and the doing of wonderful things in the way of healing the sick and bringing the all but dead to life. A host of characters crowd the pages—British army officers, American missionaries, native Princes, and the wives and daughters of all of these as well as many of the low caste natives. There is a good deal of incident of a more or less exciting sort, and no end of talk and argument. Paul Anthony, the American engineer, makes many converts to Christian Science, and toward the end a somewhat tangled double love affair reaches a happy conclusion.

NEW EDITION OF BRADFORD'S HISTORY.

In the series of "Original Narratives of Early American History" now appears a new edition of "Bradford's History of Plymouth Plantation," (Charles Scribner's Sons, $3.) It has been edited by the Hon. William T. Davis, for many years President or Vice President of the Pilgrim Society and author or editor of a number of works dealing with the history of Plymouth. He died last December at the age of 85 years, when he had just finished reading the proofs of this volume. In preparing this edition of Bradford he followed the text of the text edition published by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in 1898, which he considered unusually accurate. He departed from the usage of that edition, however, in certain typographical matters, such as giving modern form to the archaic symbols and contractions of the manuscript and in disregarding its frequent italicizing and underscoring. The volume contains three fac similies—the first page of the famous manuscript, the Mayflower compact, and the title page of "Mourt's Relation"—and a reproduction of Capt. John Smith's map of New England.

IN THE LAND OF THE CZAR.

A good deal of knowledge of the Russian people marks the book of Baroness M. de Packh, "Twenty Years in Siberia and Leaves from My Russian Diary," (Guarantee Publishing Company, New York.) The first part of the volume is a sketchily written novelette which tells the story, in the first person, of a Russian peasant lad who succeeded in educating himself, rising to a higher station, and finally was arrested for complicity with the Nihilists and sent to Siberia for twenty years. There is an extended account of the journey to the Siberian mines and of the life there. This is followed by "Leaves from My Russian Diary" in which the author tells some of her own experiences among the Russian people as a guest in the homes of those of high station, and as an observer of the customs and character of the peasants. The book is sadly marred by an unbridled use of adjectives and exclamations. Translations of a number of Russian folk-songs add a touch of unique interest.

THE SEEKER AFTER PERENNIAL YOUTH.

The story of the life of "Juan Ponce de Leon" has been told in succinct and interesting narrative by Frederick A. Ober, (Harper & Brothers, $1,) and appears as the latest volume in the series, "Heroes of American History." Mr. Ober's exhaustive studies in the line of Spanish-American history have enabled him to bring together much interesting material that otherwise would have been inaccessible to any but the special investigator. In the course of his researches he visited Santo Domingo, Porto Rico, and other of the West Indies and pursued his subject through varied historical works dealing with the times in which Juan Ponce lived. He has told the adventurous career of the famous seeker after perennial youth in such a way as to make the reader realize not only his personality, but that environment of his times which had so large an influence upon his character and his achievements.

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ROGUES AND FAIRIES.

ONE recourse for the fatigued and wistful, one opportunity to escape in imagination at least from the humdrum of uneventful existence, is described by Mr. Arthur Stringer in his article in this number of THE NEW YORK TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS on "The Criminal in Literature." Many a sedate commuting clerk pulls a thrilling and disorderly romance from his pocket as he takes his seat on his train, for half an hour's reckless defiance of law and of danger ere he enters the door of his modest, orderly home. He lives in imaginative sympathy and by proxy the life of a pirate, a cavalier blade, a soldier of fortune, or a financial cutthroat—and helps put the babies to bed. The hero of picaresque fiction has always been the darling of many law-abiding souls—the respectable man's vicarious adventurer into realms forbidden.

The rogue will never fail to flourish in fiction. But there is another disorderly character who is disappearing from romance, and is leaving romance the poorer. "It will be a surprise to many, and it may be a painful surprise," writes Edmund Gosse in The London Standard, "to learn that there are fathers of families, persons 'engaged in the City,' and holding reputable appointments, who faithfully believe in magical princesses and in fays that dance by moonlight."

It is a surprise, but it is a most delightful surprise. Could anything in the world be more delightful? Unfortunate is it that in a day so solemn the imagination of more of us does not wander toward the lands of elfin unreason. The man who likes a yarn of rogues and blood-letting would find himself as well refreshed in many cases by a good fairy story; let him exchange "Gil Blas" for "Sintram" and "The Wire-Tappers" for "The Faerie Queene"—that treasury of more enchantments than ever from any other book threw spell over the heart of a right-thinking man. In a way it comes much to the same thing. We want to wander forth beyond the possibilities of actual experience, to invade the country denied, to enjoy the forbidden, to evoke the images at least of inaccessible delights. Empire of rogues, or fairy-land, it's much the same. The lawless lands of the golden West, the purple, pirate-haunted seas allure; equally allures the country of Faerie. For there also the king's writ does not run, and dreams wander happily and as bright as truth, and whatever you will may be forgotten.

It is indeed possible that there are still those who are sufficiently children to prefer, for part of the time anyway, dreams to facts. The instinct of rebellion against law is in every one of us; the instinct of make-believe survives in more than confess to it; the instinct of wonder—is having a hard time of it trying to survive. We are doing everything we know how to kill that sense of wonder (except reverence and love, perhaps the most beautiful thing in the world) in ourselves, and, what is worse, in the children. The approved education is an organized attack on the imagination. Everything is emptied of wonder as soon as the child's attention is caught by it. He is not allowed to dream—he is stuffed with facts. We have horrible little boys who prefer working models of machines to tin soldiers, and a whole generation which doesn't know how to play or make-believe, but amuses (or wearies) itself with elaborate educative apparatus in place of toys, and is told the principles of hygiene instead of honest fairy tales.

Still, it is hard to kill a thing so vital and so precious as the wonder instinct, and not all the pilgrims to Make-believe are dead, not all the elfin ships are scuttled. It is an old world, and it is troubled about many things, and its crowded places are dusty and dingy, but, as Mr. Gosse says, as there are still some nooks where the air is full of dew and silence, so there are among men a few who bear no mark on their foreheads and move undistinguished in the crowd, in whom nevertheless the fairies still confide. If you look hard you can hear the echo of fairy laughter in their speech and catch reflections of the flicker of fairy wings in their eyes. A few.

They mostly read "The Faerie Queene." The only fault of the otherwise incomparable poem is that it professes to have a moral. The profession is a sneaking piece of hypocritical and impertinent pretense on the part of Spenser, for there isn't any moral at all, except in the accompanying letter to Sir Walter Raleigh, which discourses euphuistically of "the twelve private moral virtues as Aristotle hath devised." As Hazlitt says, if readers do not meddle with the allegory, the allegory will not meddle with them. It is not a fault, but beyond doubt a blessing, that the queen of fairy stories, the story of the Faerie Queene, does not contain any Faerie Queene nor indeed any fairy of any rank whatsoever. It is of the essence of fairies that you shall seek them without ever suffering the disenchantment of finding them. It is as if the greatest of faerie poets had blessed the personages of his tale with an Hegalian beatitude, saying: Seek, and ye shall not find; ye shall always be seeking; ye shall never extinguish wonder nor aspiration in its satisfaction. So the noble knights and the beautiful ladies ride about contriving lovely, impossible, and uplifting scenes in the mysterious mazes of a fabulous woodland.

Let Mr. Stringer write of his rogues; they are a merry crew, and the stories of their deeds not half bad reading, but there is as great refreshment and more enduring delight in the veritable chronicles of lands where float the banners of Faerie.

ABOUT BOYS.

The city, any city, is a big manufactory of toughs, and the bigger the city the larger the output. And it is only so recently that the effort to cure this particular ill of civilization has begun work at the source of the making that thus far few tangible results have been obtained. But every contribution to the knowledge of those who have to do with the growing boy, who, by the mere fact of his being a growing boy, is a possible tough, is likely to result in some whitening of the ink. And therefore Dr. Milburn Merrill's "Winning the Boy" (Fleming H. Revell Company, New York, 75 cents) is in very truth a book, as the publishers declare on the cover, "for every parent, teacher or person interested in children." Judge Ben B. Lindsey, President of the International Juvenile Court Society, widely known for his successful work with juvenile delinquents, writes an introduction. Dr. Merrill was long associated with Judge Lindsey in his work in Denver. The book is a collection of stories and essays on boy life and boy character in which the author mingles in an entertaining style accounts of his experiences with boys of all sorts with reflections and conclusions to which his work has led him.

DRIFT OF LONDON LITERARY GOSSIP

England Divided Over Shakespeare Memorial—Mrs. Thurston Plans Story Like "The Masquerader."

LONDON, April 3.—Mr. Sidney Lee, the Shakespearean authority, told me a few days ago that the opponents of the scheme of setting up a hugely expensive marble memorial to the poet were not likely to influence the public by their opposition. However this may be, the discussion is at any rate being well aired and a vast mass has already been written and published about it.

The committee of which Mr. Sidney Lee forms part is in favor of the conventional memorial of a statue. On the other hand numbers of people think there ought rather to be set up in Shakespeare's memory a national theatre. In a few days this second faction intends to hold a big meeting in Irving's old theatre, the Lyceum. Of course there is much in the national theatre scheme to attract the public fancy. One of the main objections to it, as contrasted with the other proposal, would seem to be that while a statue, once erected, would stand in calm dignity in the place where it is put and would not cause any trouble to anybody, it is only too probable that the national theatre would be a lively centre of the bickerings and discussions which are always so common in the theatrical profession. All this might well tend to bring Shakespeare's memorial into disrespect, and would prove a very poor way of honoring him.

In a book of Mr. Lee's which Scribners published in America about a year or two ago there is to be found an interesting account of other attempts which have been made to put up a Shakespeare memorial in London. In 1821 Charles Mathews, the actor, tried to erect a monument; in 1847 another attempt was made, and in 1864 still a third. All these failed, one of the main reasons of their failing being that of divisions in the ranks of their supporters as to the precise form that the memorial ought to take. These previous experiences, therefore, form a very bad augury for the present scheme.

Considering the matter quite apart from Shakespeare, it would certainly be a good thing for London, architecturally, to be able to add a beautiful monument to her present rather unprepossessing collection of outdoor and indoor statuary. The stages through which recent efforts to promote sculptured memorials in London have passed suggest—says Mr. Lee—the "Alice in Wonderland" definition of the four branches of arithmetic—Ambition, Distraction, Uglification, and Derision. The two last terms may be used as well to describe the monuments themselves. No two words indeed come to the tongue more freely at thought of the Albert Memorial than "Uglification" and "Derision."

Meantime Mr. Clement Shorter announces that he would like to collect £2,000 to put up a monument in London to Dr. Johnson.

In a recent letter to THE NEW YORK TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS I spoke of Mr. and Mrs. Thurston as a couple whose success in independent novel writing made them very nearly unique among the married pairs in present-day literary circles. At the time I gave an account of some of Mr. Thurston's plans. Since then I have had a letter from Mrs. Thurston in which she tells something of what she intends to do:

> It was last Summer that I finished the book which has just been published in England and is running serially in America—'The Fly on the Wheel.' Since then I have been taking a complete rest. I am anxious to get to work on my next novel with as fresh a mind as possible, for it has a theme in which I am greatly interested, and which I think should make a large appeal.
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> This book has an unusual central idea, which, though it involves a more psychological question than did 'John Chilcote, M. P.' (in America called 'The Masquerader,') yet has something in common with it in so far as that it deals with a peculiar set of circumstances.
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> The setting of this book will differ from any of my others. The scene will be laid in Paris, where I have for some time been gathering material and where part of the book will probably be written.

Readers of Mr. R. A. Scott-James's recent volume of criticisms called "Modernism and Romance" will find, by the way, a chapter entitled "Popularity," which is devoted entirely to Miss Marie Corelli and Mrs. Thurston. From this may be quoted the words, "The success of Mrs. Thurston baffles critical analysis." I should fancy that the success of most popular authors would baffle critical analysis.

Mr. J. M. Barrie, as it has probably been announced before now in America, has a new book coming out. It will be called "When Wendy Grew Up." Mr. Barrie, I was told the other day, makes more money out of writing than any other man in England, and receives from the combination of book profits and play royalties an income which is really princely.

The man who was, it is said, the original of Mr. Tope, the verger in Dickens's unfinished story, "Edwin Drood", has just died at the age of 92. He was a Mr. Miles, ex-verger of Rochester Cathedral. He had been associated with the cathedral for seventy-five years, entering it first as a boy chorister at the age of 9.

An interesting law case has just come up with regard to the subject of authors' names. Probably I am not the only person who has wondered what would happen if there should arise by chance a second Rudyard Kipling or Thomas Hardy who should set himself to writing novels. Very likely nothing would happen except an extreme annoyance to the original Messrs. Kipling and Hardy. Obviously the second Kipling and Hardy could not be debarred from the use of their rightful names. On the other hand, it could not but do great harm to the reputations of the first Kipling and Hardy to have the public mistake the work of other men for their own.

In the case of a pen-name, however, according to the decision in a recent case, the original holding of the pseudonym may prevent another writer from appropriating it. In the case in question a certain lady had called herself by the name of "Aunt Naomi." When she left the paper for which she had been working, she wished to take her pen name with her. The editor of the paper undertook, however, to keep it himself and to fit another lady into the pseudonym. The original "Aunt Naomi" protested, and the courts have upheld her, pronouncing her pen name to be her stock in trade and her own exclusive property. GALBRAITH.

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APOTHEOSIS OF THE DETECTIVE.

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THE CRIMINAL IN FICTION.

The Lawbreaker Type Has Persisted Since the Time of the First Man, and the Literature of Roguery Is as Old as Writing Itself—The Picaresque Hero as the Quiet Reader's Vicarious Adventurer Into Realms Forbidden.

By ARTHUR STRINGER,
Author of "The Under Groove," &c.

WHAT most strikes you, when you come to study the criminal in literature, is the antiquity of the "bad man," either as the hero or the anti-hero. The First Man, it must be remembered, was also the first offender. His offspring, Cain, was a close second. Crime and the punishment meted out to it or the remorse awakened by it may be called the motif of our earliest narrations. From Adam onward this literature is so stippled with offense and the record of offenders that our sad old world, looking wistfully back to better things, has learned to reckon its life from what it calls the "fall of man." In other words, recorded history begins with crime. A happy people, it is said, can have no history. It is much the same, apparently, with an honest man. Otherwise we would have no newspapers and no novels, for it is the deviation from rectitude, in one form or another, that still holds our interest. The bridge from the Stealing of the Apple to the Looting of the Bank is not such a long one. The Book of Job, with its tacit argument against the invariability of retribution, is as much a guilty man's confession of crime as is Hapgood's "Confession of a Thief" or Flynt's "Criminal in the Open." Hewlett's "Fool Errant" may claim direct descent from the Odyssey, just as "Raffles" and "The Arabian Nights" are of the same family, and the Song of Solomon can be recognized as a forerunner of "Sapho" and "Cousine Bette" and that lamentably extensive literature which treats of the miseries and remorse of the voluptuary. The Iliad itself is really criminology with its spectacles off, as Herbert Spencer has hinted. Prometheus stealing the sacred fire is practically the same figure as a Sixth Avenue "lightning slinger" tapping a poolroom wire for police raid purposes. The difference is a mere matter of time and geography. The audacity of man rebelling against powers older and greater than himself, committing sin for the mitigation of what, in his own self-judging pride, he has branded as a greater sin, in some mysterious way still gets under our skins. It tickles us school children of too coerced existence to think that any one of us can still defy that grim schoolmistress called Fate, even though the defiance must be well paid for, and can be only that of a moment.

In this very fact lies the dramatic appeal of the criminal. It is, for instance, on crime that all of Shakespeare's profoundest tragedies are founded. The very thing we call tragedy is rooted in crime; and of all art forms it is tragedy that holds us longest and stirs us deepest. Even war itself must fall under this record. The nation, like the individual, being unable to fortify justice, swings about and justifies force. Without some such background of tragic possibilities the zest of living would pale, the depths of human courage would remain unsounded, the humility of man born to sorrow would never be learned. So to keep in touch with these elemental passions and struggles we must still turn to what may be roughly yet justly called the criminal type.

He is of all time, this criminal, shouldering up out of the civilisation that ripples over him like a stream over a sullen boulder. He is atavistic, reminding us what we came from. He not only reverts to primordial conditions, but he keeps showing us how fragile are the barriers which stand between us and the barbaric. He is careless of life; he is never quiescent; he faces peril and sheds blood; he staggers down the lonely morasines of time blindly proclaiming his Ego to the implacable Immensities that ingulf him. The tragedy of this insolence in the face of eternity shows itself to the commonplace man immured in his commonplace pursuits, shocking him into the knowledge that tranquillity for his traffickings and quietness for his contemplations are not the chief end of earthly life. So he fascinates even while he frightens us. He has, accordingly, always held the centre of the stage, from Paris abducting a Trojan Helen down to the latest predatory jaunt of Rais Uli, from the polygamous Blue Beard down to Barry Lyndon, or the latest gentleman burglar of the latest metropolitan extra. Just as mother earth lies under our asphalted city streets so under our veneer of civilization lie our racial and elemental passions. The core of peril is still romance; dubious issues still hold us breathless, deeds of revolt and passion still attract us.

But the face of life, it must be remembered, has changed. The veneer has been pasted on, layer by layer. Primitive man, jealous of his mate, made it a very simple matter of stone hatchet or club wielding. Still later it became a matter of drawing out swords. Nowadays it is a matter of drawing up a brief. Instead of spilling blood we tamely spill ink—and an interlocutory decree is handed down, and as we limp along with ingrowing emotions we pine for the romance of lost perils.

When these perils do break out in our midst they are promptly quarantined, like the measles. A fire line is established about our burning buildings, curtains are hung along the sides of our police wagons, our ambulances, at a hurry call, whisk away earthly suffering and hide it behind hospital walls, and hired armies, at so much a day, go to the front and fight our battles for us. The elemental currents of life have been taught to run underground, like our sewer pipes and our power circuits, and the every-day man, confronted by the ceaseless everydayness of things, is seldom startled into his biological, fundamental conception of existence. He is more and more rarely brought face to face with those tragic possibilities which, disquieting as they are, still give life its meaning and its majesty, its zest of uncertainty, its courage to turn from the drip of sawdust and look on a little red blood.

In other words, we all get tired of trying to live up to our blue china, as the Oxford aesthete complained. We insist on peril and the tingle of nerves that comes with peril. We nurse a hunger for old hazard. Out of this hunger has been created that literature which falls under the title of tragedy, on the one hand, or the romance of roguery, on the other.

The rogue story, of course, came to us from Spain, and may be called the grandfather of our modern novel. Through the medium of the fabliaux and the novelle and the jest book of the Middle Ages it persisted, until we find it merging into a "Gil Blas," then into a Defoe's "Moll Flanders," (which graft of character study on low life gave us our first clumsy specimen of English novel,) and still later into a Fielding's "Tom Jones." The transcription of low life, in a way, took the place of the childishly heroic treatment of human beings peculiar to the epic. Self-consciousness and research little by little revealed to society the multiplicity of criminal forces arrayed to prey in and upon it. The natural growth of realism, as time went on, compelled fiction to include the criminal in its reflections of the actual. He was first the rogue, mere rascality touched with humor, the sly paramour, the venal priest, and the gypsy, the Robin Hood and the sea rover, the "bad men" of Chaucer and Villon, Le Sage and Jonson.

The mere depiction of adventure and intrigue such as this inevitably developed into a study of manners. This again grew into the broader and more humanitarian treatment of mortals acting under the lash of emotion or writhing under the sting of conscience. Yet it was not until the second half of the nineteenth century that the philanthropic and scientific view of criminal life actually prevailed. What may be called the anatomy of roguery, resulting from this scientific attitude, gave us the natural and long-needed antidote for the overaympathetic and the overfebrile treatment of the villain of fiction. It taught us to countenance the rogue, but with a difference, and always with reservations. It established a dead line across the banking quarters of sensationalism. The picaresque novel, as such, is not a modern success. The instinct of retributive justice is so deeply rooted in our hearts that we moderns resent the triumph of villainy. The rogue of our latter-day romance must be a rogue only under extenuating circumstances. He must square with ethics, or we cannot accept him. Or, if the offense is open and unequivocal, the offender must suffer for his sins. Yet we love to see him snap his fingers at the overexacting letter of the law, to the end that he may carry out its spirit. We delight in his crushing through temporal issues for the sake of those emotions which we have been taught to regard as eternal. We ourselves are a bit too timid to do what these fine and flashing heroes attempt. We feel the chains of civilization a little too heavy on us. So we pay a dollar and a half for the latest romance and let the gentleman between the book covers do the trick for us. We hire him as an agent, to cross the frontier of reality for us and bring a sense of wonder back to our humdrum world.

In this lies the actual and economic value of the fictitious offender. There has been a great deal of discussion about Aristotle's famous definition of tragedy as purifying the emotions of pity and terror by a healthy exercise of them. We may not agree as to just what this katharsis means, but we do unite in agreeing that the world loves a good story, and that after it life in some way seems more lovable. The sedentary bookkeeper who catches the 5:40 for his trim little suburban home takes his dip into "Treasure Island" or "Sherlock Holmes" and becomes once more reconciled to the placid order of things. The prim little milliner who works in the back shop takes her daily airing in the emotionalism of "Camille" and turns contentedly back to her toil. For in this world of fiction we all find that natural and necessary katharsis of our too dormant emotions. We undergo what may be called a vicarious rebarbarization. We approach the illicit—the illicit that is so perennially attractive—without sacrifice of personal integrity. We achieve a harmless purgation of that potential and elemental criminality which has come down to us from Adam himself. We face the novelty of vast emotions, of those strange passions which are as alluring as a glimpse into some new land, without in any way compromising our claim to respectable citizenship. In fact, as we come tingling from each new dip into this bath of picaresque romancing, we unwittingly wash away some incrusting perversion of thought or feeling. The stoop-shouldered office worker who plunges into his Hugoesque misdeeds, on paper, and achieves a vicarious atonement or has meted out to him a vicarious punishment, returns to the dry land of every-day life with the refreshing feeling that existence is wider than a roll-top desk. He has also eased his soul of that whimpering trouble which came down to him from his ancestors. He has screwed a new bar over the potential criminal still pacing the darker byways of his own heart. The placid bourgeoisie of life has been enlivened with its flash of barbarism. He has stepped out of his well-policed days into the realms of romance. The latent Nietzscheism of his nature has found its outlet. He has reveled in that vicarious return to force which is so dear to the hearts of a people to whom the exercise of force has been denied. He goes on his way as a God-fearing and moral citizen, but before he parts with his enlivening company he thrusts the magic pack of misdeeds and audacities back on the shoulders of Blind Pew, or Gil Blas, or Galloping Dick, or Barry Lyndon, or Becky Sharp, or Terence Mulvaney, or John Silver, as the case may be, and turns to his desk a little mystified, probably, as to why we all have such a sneaking love for the "bad people" of fiction. Yet these bad people are the safety valves that keep his elemental boilers from blowing up. They are the smoldering volcanoes that relieve the fire at the core of his emotional world.

A. S.

Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggin sailed from New York last week on her annual visit to England. She has been nominated as an honorary steward of the anniversary dinner of the Royal Literary Fund in London, to take place on the 21st of next month. Lord Tennyson is President of the society. Mr. Rudyard Kipling, who will preside at the dinner, has asked Mrs. Wiggin to respond to a toast.

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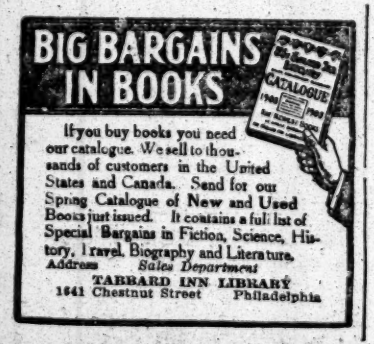

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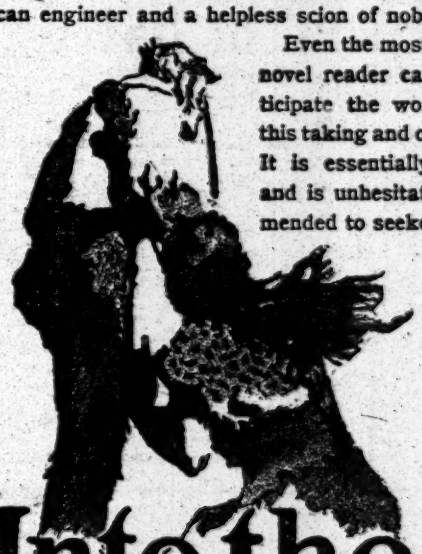

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It is more than probable, as you say, that the genius in sculpture, as exemplified in these times, may fall short of the occasion, but the same may be said of the churches. However unworthy the greatest reach of finite genius must ever be to the infinitude of the occasion, the humblest and crudest of effects to pay tribute to that Power are as lifts that free us from this "muddy vesture of decay that doth grossly close us in." In other words, any sincere manifestation of admiration of what is great or good inevitably helps the poorer soul that makes it to an apprehension of its higher self—to the Kingdom of Heaven that is within each one of us.

If the sentiment of the English speaking people of this age is so strong as to crystallize in the concrete form of a million dollars for the purpose, surely an opportunity should be given artists to create and to profit by the inspiration that the memory of Shakespeare, more than any other great man, could call forth.

As to the form which this memorial should take, that of erecting a theatre for the production of Shakespearean plays is an excellent one, but the sum of money contemplated would scarcely be sufficient for the purpose. In the first place, the mere structure of the theatre should cost that much, so nothing would be left with which to endow it. Even if a large enough sum could be raised, is it at all probable that the result, in the expression of dramatic art, would be more creditable to the people of this period than the efforts of the sculptors?

Poor as the sculpture of the present day may be—frankly—is the acting better?

From time immemorial sculpture has been the vehicle by which humans have honored and glorified their deities and great men. The people of the world and of centuries have benefited—not the gods nor the heroes to whom the monuments have been erected.

Your view, dear Sir, is pessimistic I believe that there are sculptors even to-day whose work will permeate through coming decades and whose fame will remain unperishable for ages. Can you mention any actors of whom you can say the same?

With the works of Mr. Richardson, Stanford White, and others still living can it be truly said that the art of "architecture is degenerate"? If the efforts of the artists of the plastic arts are to be constantly discouraged, how can we hope to accomplish anything? Or is it to be supposed that these are no longer living or useful arts?

While I quite agree with you that such works as the Albert Memorial may not be considered commendable works of art, still they afford expression of the taste—or, rather, lack of taste—of the time, and are landmarks and may serve the purpose of showing what not to do. Besides, since the early Victorian period, sculpture has made great advances.

KUHNE BEVERIDGE.

New York, April 2.

Rodin and Shakespeare.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

You print conspicuously an article with the caption "Not Rodin" in relation to the proposed statue of Shakespeare in the London tercentenary memorial of eight years hence. Your main objection to Rodin is that he has "produced nothing that is not essentially Gallic."

Permit me to say why I do not deem that objection essentially valid. It is that until our own J. Q. A. Ward produced his Shakespeare in Central Park the best statue of Shakespeare, beyond comparison for all the merits, was that by Roubillac at the entrance to the library (not the Round Room) of the British Museum. The date is 1759. If the genius of Shakespeare was so "universal" as to demand an international monument, why is not a Frenchman as likely as another to express the universality, particularly as one Frenchman has already made a pre-eminent success of the subject, and also because other judgments and other tastes than those of the English have the right to expect satisfaction in a memorial of international character?

The statue in Westminster Abbey, that in Leicester Square, London, that by Roubillac, and that by Ward are the sole four which have any fame at all, except the bust at Stratford, which is always lamented as "art." The two first are negligible as art; the other two are very meritorious, Ward's the most so. If Mr. Ward be not too old to undertake the task, a choice might fairly lie between him and Rodin, among others. Mr. Ward would have the advantage of having produced the greatest Shakespeare yet known, and, were he chosen, would have for this purpose the incidental merits of belonging to an English-speaking nation, and of being partly, if not wholly, of English descent.

MORTIMER THOMSON.

New York, April 8.

Our Critic Criticised.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

The review of H. G. Wells's "New Worlds for Old" in the issue of March 28 is remarkably below your usual standard. The reviewer easily condemns the book at the start with a casual reference to "the classes whom he would benefit by revolutionizing our institutions." In reading the text one gets no such programme. Mr. Wells's Socialism is administrative, constructive; revolutionary Socialism is chiefly, and almost wholly, a phase in the development of the idea. The book abounds in such definitions of Socialism as these: Page 8—"A project for the reshaping of human society upon new and better lines"; Page 25—"An orderly plan for the half-conceived wilderness of human effort"; Page 87—"The subordination of the individual motive to the happiness and welfare of the species"; Page 285—"This great making of a permanent well-being for mankind." On Page 331 we find this statement: "Socialism under a great leader, or as a powerfully organized party, would be the end of Socialism." Your reviewer's persistence in holding to his own notion of a class-interest revolution would be more creditable if we were sure that he had read the book.

The critic seems uncertain whether to consider "New Worlds for Old" as more of a Blue Book or a Utopian symphony, which indicates merely that he neither understood the statistics nor comprehended the idea of a constructive programme for an intelligent community. His implication that Mr. Wells does not see the difficulties is childish in the face of such statements as these, (Page 332:) "Directly one accepts those great generalizations one passes on to a jungle of incurably intricate problems through which man has to make his way or fail." "Socialism is hope, but it is not assurance."

The critic's statement that "Wells claims that all private ownership is a heinous offense" reads very oddly in connection with this, (Page 143:) "All that property which is an enlargement of personality the modern Socialist seeks to preserve."; and this, (Page 68:) "The conception of personal ownership has in the past contributed elements to human progress that could have come through no other means."

It is further alleged that Mr. Wells underrates present progress. How about Page 10: "The world is now a better place for a common man than ever it was before"; "in the matter of sheer achievement I believe in my own time"; "things get better because men mean them to get better." Mr. Wells's whole programme relies upon what he calls "Good will working through the efforts of men," (Page 5.)

These are but brief notes, but it is thought that they cover the main points of the review, (so far as it had any,) and call sufficient attention to the entire failure of your reviewer to understand or set forth the text. It is at this time especially deplorable that a book of such quality as "New Worlds for Old" should fail to get decent treatment at the hands of your paper. It ought to be fairly well known by now that suppression, misrepresentation, and self-deception are not constructive forces.

W. L. WHITTLESEY.

Princeton University, Department of History, Politics, and Economics, April 8.

Such Is Fame.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

Can you account for the fact that the author of "The Anatomy of Melancholy" receives less than justice in our day? His appeal is, of course, to bookish people, but even bookish people constantly betray a ludicrous ignorance of him. Few persons apparently know even his name, for do we not almost always hear him spoken of as Richard Burton?—a blunder due, perhaps, to the fame of Sir Richard, Orientalist, or—can it be?—to the renown of Richard Burton, Professor of Literature, essayist, and poet. If the latter, what profound homage does the public pay to the lustre of modern letters! It seems to say of our Burton, as Bernard Barton said of Lamb:

> From the olden-time authorship
> Thy patent should be dated,
> And thou with Marvell, Browne, and
> Burton mated.

But one would scarcely suppose that staid writers of histories of literature, solemn literary guides to the treasures of English, would call Robert Richard; yet of the three good text books in extensive use in schools and colleges two (Moody and Lovett, page 148, and Pancoast, page 291) make the slip. Such evidence of neglect in high places of our English men of letters makes one think kindly of the hopfeul Harvard senior who, one evening when "Hesperides" was mentioned, electrified the group of idlers about my fire by saying that his father knew Herrick very well, and that he himself had read "The Common Lot."

BYRON KESTER.

Cambridge, Mass., April 8.

"Dum Spiro Spero."

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

Your correspondent who says that "Dum Spiro Spero" is the legend of an old New Hampshire family "dating back to 1640," forgets the unfortunate Charles I., whose motto it was, and there is a celebrated copy of the first folio which bears this canting pun on the title-page in his handwriting.

C. A. H.

New York, April 7.

II.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

Perhaps the correspondent who knows of "a New Hampshire family dating back to 1640," and having "the legend," "Dum spiro spero," may be a little surprised to learn that the motto was granted to Viscount Dillon of Costello and Gallen in the County of Mayo, in 1622. The Dillons claim descent from Niall, of the Nine Hostages, the 126th monarch of Ireland, but there is a gap of more than twenty generations between before comes Robert the Sacsenach, who came to Ireland in the time of the English invaders. The pedigree after this Robert's time is known, and the line still exists.

WINSLOW.

Boston, April 8.

III.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

In former years I often used "spere" myself, and heard it used by others in the sense of a "spree" or a "lark," when living in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Vermont. I have no precise memories of its use in those Western States

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M. L. H.

Mortland, Fla., April 2.

From Dr. Carrington.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

While I shall not be guilty of the bad taste of attempting any reply to your reviewer's criticism of my book—since every man is entitled to his own views on such matters—yet I think that in the spirit of fair play I might be entitled to say a word in defense of myself, since I conceive my book and my views have been somewhat unjustly handled by your critic.

In reviewing my "Vitality, Fasting, and Nutrition," then, your critic devoted almost his entire space to an attack upon the theory of disease advanced in the book, which was not my own at all, but which merely summarized and quoted from other authors, (purposely,) and these views have been before the world for half a century, and have never been disproved, at all events, no matter what we think of them. I am not responsible for those views, though I believe in them, and stated them in my volume. Of the importance of the fasting records your critic says not a word, nor does he allude to the fact—the central and most vital point of my whole book—that the law of conservation of energy is attacked. The examples quoted are not mine, but Dr. Rabagliati's, in the introduction, and I cannot be held responsible for these, though I believe them to be essentially true.

Again, why should the fact that I am a believer in the raw food diet "fix my status for the serious scientist"? Has it been so conclusively proved that this diet is an erroneous one? Does my critic know that Prof. Jaffa of the University of California has published two reports, (under the supervision of the United States Department of Agriculture,) finding, as the result of his investigations, that those who live in this manner are exceptionally robust and healthy, and that we must, contrary to general conceptions, regard fruits henceforth as real food rather than food accessories? However, this is not the place to discuss purely dietetic and medical problems of the kind under discussion.

I have in my book raised the biggest question ever raised in physiology—whether we do or do not receive our strength and energy from our daily food—and instead of attempting in any way to answer my facts and arguments my critic merely scoffs at them. He says not one word as to the theories of sleep, of death, of cancer, insanity, anaemia, and the hundred other facts and arguments brought forward in the book, to say nothing of my attack upon the law of conservation. I can only say that this is a very queer way indeed of treating a book of this character, which offers to support every contention made by facts, and I can only say that if medical men, or my reviewers in medical journals, attempt to treat the book in a similar manner, they will either have to retract their words or bring forward something like respectable evidence and proof that my theories are unsound. I shall be the very first to welcome any fair attack or criticism, as opposed to that supercilious high-handedness which treats all new ideas with "becoming" scorn.

HEREWARD CARRINGTON.

New York, April 6.

Horace Greeley as a Poet.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

Your Southern correspondent who said the other day that Horace Greeley "never wrote a line of poetry" is very much in error. One of his poems entitled, I think, "The Pen and the Press," appeared in an old schoolbook of two generations ago. Another of very fluent measure, and written in the musical manner of Tom Moore, was read in this city before some Irish society in 1844. To one of the old "Annuals" which I possess he contributed two poems of merit, but the book is not accessible to me as I write.

I think some of his verses appeared in the old New York Mirror, while others are to be found in the files of his own early paper, The New Yorker, which in the thirties was the leading literary periodical in this country. JOEL BARTON.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 3.

Real Realism.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

The "Admirer of George Meredith who yet is loyal to the English language" in his letter of March 21 speaks of "a novelist's professional baggage." The felicitous phrase called to mind one item of that "baggage" which apparently is indispensable. Having of late much more leisure than formerly for miscellaneous reading, it has been a pleasing diversion from more serious work to read many of "the best selling books" of recent years. This reading has revealed how essential to a successful novel is the iteration and reiteration over and over again of the impressive statement, "He lit a cigar," or "He flicked the ashes of his cigar." Will you not call the attention of novices who are hoping to achieve success to this indispensable part of "a novelist's professional baggage"? For myself, "He blew his nose" would be a pleasing occasional variation, but I am an up-country mossback. E. A. C.

Kinderhook, N. Y., April 7.

"Bar Sinister" in Thackeray.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

Apropos of the letter of P. Hopkins dated Feb. 9 in last SATURDAY'S REVIEW OF BOOKS, and headed "Lesson in Heraldry," I would like to send you three quotations from "Henry Esmond" to prove that though "the bar sinister is a heraldic impossibility," it has become by popular usage since the days of Thackeray, if not long before, the colloquial term to express illegitimacy, and that therefore it's use is correct.

"Henry Esmond," Book I., Chapter VI.: "Though there might be a bar in Harry Esmond's shield, it was a noble one."

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Book III., Chapter III.: "Yes, I know you are thinking of my bar sinister, and so am I. A man cannot get over it in this country, unless, indeed, he means it's across a King's arms; when 'tis a highly honorable crest." M. L.

New York, April 9, 1908.

Mistaken Address.

New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

You will greatly oblige me if you will correct in some future issue of THE NEW YORK TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS a mistake as to my address which appeared in a note in the issue of the REVIEW, Page 173. The note, which relates to the work of Prof. Willis on Stephen A. Douglas and mine on Andrew Johnson, gives my address as Tulane University, &c. The mistake probably resulted from the similarity of the official names of the two institutions—Louisiana State University and Tulane University of Louisiana. The latter is located in New Orleans, the former at Baton Rouge, the State capital.

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Baton Rouge, La., April 6.

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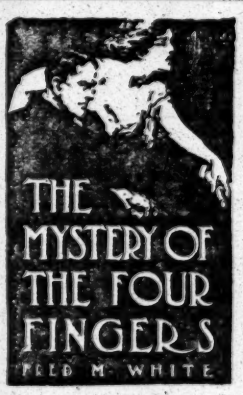

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VALUE AND DISTRIBUTION. By Herbert Joseph Davenport, Associate Professor of Political Economy, University of Chicago. Chicago: The University Press. $3.50. Pp. 582.

FOR some reason the economists have suddenly and simultaneously discovered the entrepreneur. He seems to be the favorite specific against Socialism, whose philosophy allows him no excuse for existence. The individual theorists, on the other hand, refer almost everything to him. We were reviewing the other day Mr. Hawley's exaltation of the initiative functions of the enterpriser, and now comes Mr. Davenport with an even more elaborate treatise from another angle. He exalts the enterpriser not as a social mainspring but as the appraiser of values which he establishes for the rest of us.

It is the competition of entrepreneurs, it seems, which causes and measures supply and demand. Utility is not the cause nor the measure of demand and price, nor is "pain cost" the controller of supply. Entrepreneurs seek for goods to make other goods, and it is their competition or lack of competition which makes the market. When they see no profits there is a sudden loss of value in goods which obviously are not altered thereby in cost of production or absolute utility. And when entrepreneurs can see profits they bid up recklessly, regardless of pain costs of production or of the value of any given thing for any other use than the production of profits for the upbidding entrepreneur. This explains the subjectivity of prices and why there is so much variety in prices and profits. They vary and always must vary with the factor which causes them—that is with the idiosyncrasies of entrepreneurs. Values and prices, therefore, are marginal with reference to personality rather than with reference to instruments. In other words, marginality is a psychological phenomenon. We have already been told that panics were that, but now comes Mr. Davenport and tells us that industrial crises also are psychological. The book is profound and technical and not well suited to popular reading, although it deals with topics of the most practical sort, which it behooves men of affairs to understand as well as scholars. Some mental effort is well spent on this subject, and those who save on this item stand to lose more on others.

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QUERIES.

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J. N. B.—Who is Mr. Henry Byron, the author of "A Day Dreamer's Harvest"? Would you be good enough to publish some biographical sketch of him?

Henry Byron was born at Krettinger, Russia, near the German frontier, on October 14, 1846. He studied in Basel. In 1874 he married an American lady in Zurich. In 1882 they came to this country. He is now a teacher of German in the public schools of this city. He lives in Astoria, L. I. "A Day Dreamer's Harvest" is the first work by him in English to be published. He has written for different newspapers, including the Staats-Zeitung.

M. C. L.—In an article by Mr. E. C. Stedman upon the New York Stock Exchange he described the effect upon the crowded room of an announcement of death by three strokes, as like "the clock's hourly knell in 'The Masque of the Red Death.' The floor, like Prince Prospero's seven-hued court, stilled its noise and movement for an interval, and then as if some passing trance were ended—the rush and roar of the market would break out again, just as the dance and revel begin anew in that most lurid tale of the grotesque and arabesque."

Who wrote "The Masque of the Red Death," and where can the tale be found?

"The Masque of the Red Death" is one of Edgar Allan Poe's weird tales. A pestilence, called the red death, devastated the country of Prince Prospero, who, with a thousand of his friends, in one of his castellated abbeys, amply provisioned, and strongly barricaded, defies the scourge, and gives a masked ball of most unusual magnificence. In one of the seven ballrooms is the ebony clock, whose brazen lungs each hour startle the gay assembly. At midnight a strange mummer who has assumed the type of the Red Death is noticed stalking about. He is shrouded in the habiliments of the grave. His vesture is dabbled in blood, and his brow, with all the features of the face, is besprinkled wth the scarlet horror. Prince Prospero, to avenge what he deems an insult, rushes at him with a dagger, but drops dead at his feet. The frenzied dancers seize the mummer, but find the grave cerements and corpselike mask, which they handled so roughly, untenanted by any tangible form. Then, one by one, they also fall dead, and the life of the ebony clock goes out with that of the last of the gay. This, in brief, is Poe's story. It is to be found in all editions of his complete works.

B. HERRICK.—Will you kindly give me some information regarding the career and works of Richard Le Gallienne? I have learned of two of his books, "The Quest of the Golden Girl," and the "Love Letters of a King." I also have read poetry and prose by him in Harper's. Can you tell me what other books he has written?

Richard Le Gallienne was born in Liverpool, England, Jan. 20, 1866. He was educated at Liverpool College. In 1891 he married Mildred Lee, who died in 1894. In 1897 he married Julie Norregard. After seven years of commercial life he went into journalism. For a few months he acted as private secretary for Wilson Barrett, the actor. He also was literary critic for The Star. He came to this country a few years ago.

Among his publications are the following: "My Lady's Sonnets," privately printed; "Volumes in Folio," "George Meredith," "The Book Bills of Narcissus," "English Poems," "The Religion of a Literary Man," "Prose Fancies," "Robert Louis Stevenson and Other Poems," "Retrospective Reviews," "The Quest of the Golden Girl," "If I Were God," an edition of Izaak Walton's "The Compleat Angler," a verse translation of Omar Khayyam, "The Romance of Zion Chapel," "Young Lives," "Worshipper of the Image," "Travels in England," "The Beautiful Lie of Rome," "Sleeping Beauty," "An Old Country House," "Painted Shadows," and "Love Letters of the King."

A short time ago he sold at auction in this city a number of his manuscripts, as also a number of books of literary celebrities that had been presented to him by them. Two autograph letters of his were in a sale held on March 17 by the Anderson Company. In one he refers to an article by himself on "Abelard and Heloise," and in the other letter speaks of his "Young Lives."

CARL BRAHN.—I should highly appreciate your kindness to inform me of the value of "Paradise Lost. By John Milton. A Poem in Twelve Books. Eighth Edition, Adorned with Sculptures. London: Printed for Jacob Tonson, within Gray Inn Gate, next Gray Inn Lane, 1707."

As we had occasion to explain recently, an edition like this, as a rule, is neither rare nor valuable. Milton's "Paradise Lost" first appeared in 1667. The first edition alone had nine different title pages prefixed to as many successive issues of it. According to the bibliographer and cataloguer, therefore, there are nine different first editions, each of different value. The second edition (tenth issue) appeared in 1674, the third edition in 1678, and the fourth in 1688. In 1683 Jacob Tonson, who kept a printer's shop at the Judge's Head in Chancery Lane, near Fleet Street, was fortunate enough to purchase, at a bargain, from Barbazon Allmire, the assignee of Samuel Simmons, one-half of the right in "Paradise Lost." The other half Tonson obtained at an advance in 1690. As we have already stated, in reply to a similar query, Tonson used to say that he had made more by "Paradise Lost" than by any other poem. Previous to 1700 Tonson moved from the Judge's Head to a shop "within Gray Inn Gate," and took into partnership his nephew, who was also named Jacob Tonson. We find no record of a sale of the 1707 edition of "Paradise Lost."

Answers from Readers.

J. A. C.—Your correspondent "A. E." (March 14) wishes to know whether Gelett Burgess is serious in his "Maxims of Methuselah" when he quotes Eusebius, Ersenmenger, the Midrash, and Colin de Plancy as authorities for certain legends about Methuselah. Certainly, he may have been serious. The Midrash (fol. 12) says, among other things, about Methuselah, "He was mourned seven days by men, and therefore the outbreak of the flood was postponed until the mourning was over." The Rabbi Salomon, the Pirke of Rabbi Eliazes, and the Jalkut follow the Midrash in the opinion that Methuselah died seven days before the flood. But Eusebius (Chron. Graec. ed. Scaliger. Lugd. Batav. 1606, p. 4.) says: "He, according to all editions, [of the LXX.] lived fifteen years after the Deluge, but where he was preserved through it is uncertain."

Colin de Plancy relates the legend of an angel appearing to Methuselah when he was 500 years old, who, finding him living in the open air, advised him to build a house. The patriarch asked him how long he had got to live. "About five hundred years more," said the angel. Whereupon Methuselah said, "It is not worth taking the trouble for so short a time."

WILLIAM WADE.—Recent mentions of "Mother Shipton" remind me that Dr. W. S. Mayo, in "Kaloolah" and "Never Again," made some very remarkable forecasts thirty or forty years since. In "Kaloolah" he very clearly indicated the germ origin of such diseases as African coast fever, and in "Never Again" he distinctly describes both antiseptic and aseptic surgery, and, as I remember, that old inventor in "Never Again" forecasts, and sometimes details, many discoveries and inventions made long since the date of the book. Dr. Mayo must have been a very remarkable man otherwise than as an author, but although I still reread "Kaloolah" frequently, "Never Again" seems only obtainable in a Ward, Lock & Co. edition in type too execrable for my old eyes, and as Little, Brown & Co. have been on the lookout for a copy in good print for some years without success, I reckon none is in existence. "Kaloolah" is probably still in print, but I fancy that the first chapter of "Never Again" makes it unprintable now.

M. C. L.—If "Gildersleeve," who on Feb. 15 asked for help in tracing the word Iolanthe, will consult the genealogical tables of the ruling European families from the twelfth to the fifteenth century he will find the name often repeated. It is variously spelled by historical writers as Iolanthe or Iolante, Iolande, and Yolande, Iolande perhaps having weight of authority.

The first instance that I have noted is in the late twelfth century, when the name was given to a sister of that Count Baldwin of Flanders who was the first Latin Emperor of Constantinople under the Crusaders. She married the third Eastern Emperor, Pierre de Courtenay, while her daughter Iolande married a King of Hungary, whose daughter, in turn carrying on the name, married a King of Arragon. Another descendant named Iolande, the daughter of a later associate Eastern Emperor and titular King of Jerusalem, Jean de Brienne, was married by that grandson of Barbarossa who waged such strenuous conflict with the Papacy, Frederick II., avowedly so, that he might claim the sovereignty of the Holy City in her right. Through intermarriages, but in traceable descent either direct or collateral from these ladies, the name is sprinkled over the pages of Arragon and Castile, of Naples, Milan, Hungary, and Anjou, and of other countries, until, if one were poetically inclined, there might be fancied a recurrence of the name and destiny of the beautiful Io, "the wanderer," who in the Greek myth was driven by Here's jealousy across the Bosphorus far and wide over Europe.

The grandmother of Louis XI.—the mother-in-law of Charles VII.—was Iolande, wife and widow of Louis II. of Anjou, after whom was named the Princess Iolande, afterward the Duchess of Savoy, (mentioned Feb. 29 by Mr. Escher,) and who was quite as prone as was her granddaughter to put her finger in the political pie—perhaps even more effectively.

JULIA E. HINGSLAND.—I inclose poem copied from McGuffey's Second Reader, asked for by A. C. C. March 7:

YOUNG SOLDIERS.

"Oh, were you ne'er a schoolboy,
And did you never train,
And feel that swelling of the heart
You ne'er can feel again;
Didst never meet, far down the street,
With plumes and banners gay,
While the kettle for the kettle-drum
Played your march, march away?

"It seems to me but yesterday,
Nor scarce so long ago,
Since all our school their muskets took
To charge the fearful foe.
Our muskets were of cedar wood,
With ramrod bright and new,
With bayonet forever set,
And painted barrel, too.

"We charged upon a flock of geese,
And put them all to flight,
Except one sturdy gander
That thought to show us fight.
But, ah! we knew a thing or two;
Our Captain wheeled the van;
We routed him, we scouted him,
Nor lost a single man.

"Our Captain was as brave a lad
As e'er commission bore;
All brightly shone his new tin sword,
A paper cap he wore;
He led us up the steep hillside,
Against the western wind,
While the cockerel plume that deck'd his head
Stream'd bravely out behind.

"We shouldered arms, we carried arms,
We charged the bayonet,
And woe unto the muffin stalk
That in our course we met.
At 2 o'clock the roll we called,
And till the close of day,
With fearless hearts though tired limbs,
We fought the mimic fray.
Till the supper bell, from out the dell,
Rade us march, march away."

The author's name is not given.

T. O'CONOR SLOANE.—The poem asked for by H. T. L. is by Edward Lear; it is called "Incidents in the Life of My Uncle Arly." It is given in Carolyn Wells's "A Nonsense Anthology." Pp. 82-83. The book is published by Scribners, 1902. It can also be found in "The Jumblies," published by F. Warne & Co., New York.

C. F. L.—"Querist" (Feb. 22, 1908) asks about a "carnelian ring." It must either be floral dialect or a misprint for "carnelian." One does not have to be very old to remember seeing the rings which were cut out from carnelian. They were not expensive, and, while much less desirable than "real gold," were prized by children and others.

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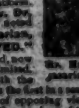
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MAY PUBLISHERS TAMPER WITH MSS.?

Well-Known Publishers Declare for Rights of Authors as Against Editorial Corrections and Additions.

IN a case now on trial in one of the Brooklyn courts an important question that has long been at issue between author and publisher is up for solution. Has an editor or a publisher the right to add to an article before its publication without the consent of its author? This question is the point at issue between Charles F. Chamberlayne and the American Lawbook Company, the former having brought suit against the latter on account of certain changes which were made in an article contributed by the complainant to the "Cyclopedia of Law and Procedure." In this contributed article which was on the subject of "evidence," the American Lawbook Company are said to have made changes without consulting the author. In accordance with the contract made by these publishers with Mr. Chamberlayne the article was to be the work of the latter, and was to appear under his signature. When it was actually published, however, certain sections were accompanied by a footnote stating that they were "by Charles F. Chamberlayne, revised and edited by Charles C. Moore and William Lawrence Clark." The right to do this Mr. Chamberlayne contests, and in order to support the justice of his contention a number of editors and publishers were called upon to give their testimony as to the rights and usages in such matters commonly observed in the publication of books and magazines. The testimony thus elicited, coming from a number of our best-known publishers, is exceedingly interesting as throwing light on what is generally considered a rather delicate ethical problem. Thus Mr. Richard Watson Gilder makes the following statement:

Adding without consent new matter to an article is inadmissible, and there is no custom in the publishing trade by which an editor of a magazine may add to articles purchased by him without the consent of the author thereof, but that, on the contrary, it is the custom not to change, add to, or alter such articles except with the consent of the author and upon the submission of proof sheets thereof to said author.

This statement is further enforced by Mr. George Haven Putnam, who has had a forty years' experience in the management of the firm of G. P. Putnam's Sons. Mr. Putnam gives it as his opinion, "based upon experience and knowledge of editorial usage, that the addition, without the consent of the author, of new material to a volume or paper, submitted by an author as 'in readiness for the press,' is inadmissible, and that such action on the part of editor or of publishers would give to such author legitimate ground for grievance. That it is contrary to the custom of the publishers of books or of publishers or editors of magazines or of serial publications to make any additions, interpolations, or material changes in articles the publication rights of which have been purchased by them (leaving the copyright in the hands of the author) or to books or articles for which both publication rights and copyrights have been purchased, excepting with the consent of the authors of such articles."

In the testimony given by Henry Holt the inviolability of an author's manuscript is made even more emphatic, Mr. Holt stating that "during all his experience he never has heard of any custom justifying an editor or publisher in adding to any matter issued by him under the name of another person without the consent of such person; or even in subtracting from it in essentials, the trifling abbreviations not changing the sense are admissible where it is necessary to bring the matter within defined limits."

Mr. Isaac K. Funk of Funk & Wagnalls declared that he had made it a rule in his company, and a part of his instructions to his editors, "never directly or indirectly to make an author responsible for what he did not do or say, or for the work or words of another." This rule, however, Mr. Funk does not apply to slight verbal changes in manuscript.

Similar testimony was given by Mr. George Cary Eggleston and Mr. Orlando P. Thomson, President of the Baker, Voorhis Company, both of whom, speaking from their experience in the usages of publishers, state their belief in the author's privilege to decide upon any changes that an editor may desire to make in his manuscript before publication.

The testimony thus advanced in this case is made to apply to all material published under a signature, whether in magazine, newspaper, or book, and apparently supports the opinion held by the complainant, that such material cannot be altered without the author's consent.

More Light on the Stars.

That popularizer of abtruse stellar phenomena, Mr. Garrett P. Serviss, will soon publish, through the Harpers, a volume which he calls "Astronomy with the Naked Eye." The book is especially intended for those who wish to know something of the scheme of the constellations without being burdened with the vast amount of technical knowledge usually considered necessary for that purpose. An interesting feature of the book will be the inclusion of the myths and creeds with which the heavenly bodies have been identified in times past, thus bringing together various stray links of what Mr. Serviss collectively calls the "literature of the stars."

ROMANTIC PEREGRINATIONS.

THE DANCE OF LOVE. By Dion Clayton Calthrop. 12mo. Pp. 321. New York: Henry Holt & Co.

"The Dance of Love" begins with a slow movement. The air has a tinge of familiarity, but the rhythm is uncertain. It is in England at the time of the dawn of intellect, of fancy dress, long hair, and the like that the first steps are taken. Pipin Barsham, an impetuous, callow youth of twenty, is possessed with a longing to get away from home, to see the world, and to find his ideal. "She was not good enough for you," his mother intuitively suggests; and then she tells him that it is not love that he has felt, but the ache of youth for something it cannot understand. To give Pipin due credit, he loves his mother—a little less than his vanity—and it costs him a sharp pang to leave her. Sentimental farewells with Alice and Yolande leave no lasting sadness, and presently he is full of the ardor of his quest. The dance is on.

It is a jig tune now; and the theme is almost lost sight of in its exuberance. Pepin revels in irresponsible joy. He wishes he may find some fair lady in distress that he may rush to her aid. He falls in with another more experienced knight of the road, one who calls himself John Bonamico Guido d'Arrezzo Michelozzo Ridolfo da Monteverde, and lives up to his name. He is truly a "bon amico" to Pipin, and, for the rest, fulfills the taoit prophecy of his entire appellation with bombast and cunning that is interwoven with a philosophical attitude toward life.

Pipin acquires experience slowly. After six years of wandering he is still no nearer the object of his quest. Now he wears the garb of a fool, and lives by his wit as well as by his wits. The dance has slackened, but there are occasional accelerations, as when Margot appears on the scene with her pet dancing bear, teaching him a lesson in which love and pain are mingled in wholesome proportions. His peregrinations carry him through many places and vicissitudes. It is a kind of fanciful inland voyage that he takes, a fictional parallel of Stevenson's. The conclusion reached is the same: that "it is when you come back at nightfall and look in at the familiar room that you find Love or Death awaiting you beside the stove, and the most beautiful adventures are not those we go to seek."

A STORY OF THE MINING CAMPS.

A story of strong contrasts—almost too strong to be convincing—is told in A. B. Ward's "The Sage Brush Parson" (Little, Brown & Co., Boston.) The "parson" is it is a young Englishman who goes to a mining camp in Nevada—such a one as Nevada mining camps were twenty-five or thirty years ago—and does his best to exert some influence for good upon its whole-hearted uproar and riot. An unfortunate, mismated marriage which he has made some years before rises like a wall in his path when his wife finally follows him. The situation works out into tragedy and the author leads a number of his characters through the depths of sorrow and suffering. The pictures of Nevada mining camp life and characters and conditions are vivid and telling, and the story moves with a rush, with plenty of exciting incident. It is much better and more convincing, indeed, in its portrayal of the rough side of frontier life than when it is dealing with the emotions, motives and actions of the more refined of its characters.

SELECTED ANECDOTES.

IN LIGHTER VEIN. Anecdotes, Witty Sayings, and Reminiscences of Well-known Men and Women. Collected by John De Morgan, author of "Literary Side of the Presidents," &c. 12mo. Pp. 164. San Francisco: Paul Elder & Co. $1.50 net.

Just how many of these "quips and cranks and wanton wiles" of famous men and women are published for the first time is of minor interest to him who reads them; the wonder is that the best of them are not more widely known. Not all are in the form of stories. The recollection that an old Puritan divine, the Rev. Dr. Baxter, wrote religious books with the titles, "Hooks and Eyes for Believers' Breeches," and "A Spiritual Pepper Box to Make the Soul Sneeze with Devotion," is quite as amusing as some of the more pretentious reminiscences. The contempt for books of this kind which familiarity with their contents is apt to engender will be felt but little here. The book is made in the unique fashion which is a characteristic of Elder publications.

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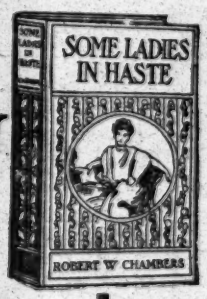

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